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MEMORIAL DAY—The Color Guard of the Mundt-Allen American Legion Post #81 marches to the Bethel Common for memorial services in celebration of Memorial Day on Monday. For more area Memorial Day Parade pictures see page 8.

Bethel area is 'Capital for a Day'

By CHRISTY CROSS

Governor John R. McKernan and 11 of his commissioners toured the Bethel area Tuesday as part of the McKernan 'My Capital for a Day' outreach program. "My Capital for a Day visits help us stay in touch with the thoughts, opinions and good ideas of those we serve," McKernan said in announcing his visit.

And on Tuesday, throughout the day—which included lunch with community members at Bumps Lounge at Sunday River Skiway and a "town meeting" at the Gould Academy auditorium—area people discussed their thoughts and opinions with the state government leaders.

Seventy-five people joined the governor and the commissioners for lunch. The commissioners were seated at eleven different tables, with lunch attendees seating themselves with the commissioners of their choice.

The governor led a question and answer period following lunch.

SAD #44 Chairman Margaret Hand kicked off a round of discussion about school funding.

"Is there any plan for funding education other than the way it is being funded now," she asked.

McKernan said, "We're trying to bring in (to the formula) more basis on ability to pay rather than basing it on valuation."

Education Commissioner Eve Bither said, "Out of close to 200 communities, about 17 are receiving less (state fun-

ding) in 1991 than they did this year. Most of the communities are receiving a significant increase."

Bither said there has been a 67 percent increase in state funding of education over the last four years.

She said the state would have to look very carefully at any changes in the funding formula.

Later, at the governors' town meeting, Bethel Town Clerk and school board director Merton Brown said, "My concern is property taxes. Personally, he said, his tax bill has gone from \$866 to an anticipated \$2,600 next year.

Also, he told of a woman who came in to the Town Office recently. He said she told him that when she left military service at the end of World War II, she put her separation pay away for an "emergency."

"When she came in to pay her taxes, it was with her separation pay," Brown said.

"You keep saying, 'Cut services,'" he said. "We have tried very hard cutting services... We're not meeting all the mandates now."

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CAPITAL FOR A DAY—Governor John McKernan, in Bethel Tuesday for his Capital for a Day program, talks with Bethel Inn owner Dick Rasor, left and Al Barth of Bethel, at the Bethel Inn recreation center.

SAD #44 budget re-vote meeting tonight

By MICHAEL DANIELS

District voters will have a second chance tonight, May 31, to vote on the SAD #44 budget for 1990-1991 (FY 91).

Tonight's meeting is the result of a reconsideration petition signed by 369 people (227 voter signatures were later validated).

The petition asked that voters be given an opportunity to reconsider the actions taken at the annual district budget meeting of May 3.

The school board had gone into the earlier meeting asking voters to approve a budget that called for a \$327,084 (23.67 percent) increase in local taxes. Because of the size of the tax hike, opposition had been expected at the meeting, but it did not materialize.

Instead, the 102 voters who did turn out—largely school district employees and their families—used the opportunity to increase the overall budget, and the local tax bill, by an additional \$80,000.

In the past, the school budget had occasionally been cut at district meetings, but it had never before been raised. The unprecedented action took the school board by surprise, and angered many

voters who had not attended the meeting.

Shortly after the meeting two local selectmen, Pat Dooen of Bethel and Marie Bucklett of Greenwood, launched a petition drive calling for a reconsideration meeting.

The petition easily garnered the 100

signatures required to mandate the second meeting.

At tonight's meeting, voters will have the opportunity to override the \$80,000 increase, to affirm it, or to raise or lower the overall budget and tax increase by another figure (see related story).

Many school directors surprised to learn of their 'recommendation'

According to the wording of the warrant for tonight's budget reconsideration meeting, the SAD #44 Board of Directors "recommends" local tax and budget totals that include the \$80,000 added on at the May 3 budget meeting.

This public recommendation came as a surprise to many directors.

A number said they plan to vote against the higher totals, others say that when they signed the warrant for the reconsideration meeting they were

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Tonight's SAD #44 budget vote options

Following the election of a moderator, there will be three articles on the warrant for tonight's SAD #44 budget reconsideration meeting.

The first article will ask voters if they wish to reconsider the action taken on Articles VI and VII at the District Budget Meeting on May 3.

At that meeting the amounts to be raised from local taxes and to be authorized for the total budget were both increased by \$80,000 more than requested by the school board.

If tonight's vote is against reconsideration,

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Supporters of the \$80,000 additional increase in local taxes argue that it would allow the district to retain a number of new or existing programs or expenses that the school board voted to cut in the final rounds of budget building.

These include a full-time elementary art teacher (\$25,000 plus \$7,500 for supplies), additional half-time elementary music and physical education teachers (\$12,500 each), the Outward Bound winter camping trip for Telstar sophomores (\$30,000), Mahosue Arts and Fine Arts (\$2,500) and new computers for the elementary schools (\$8,000).

The \$80,000 increase was proposed by Joe Aloisio of Newry, who argued that "the additional programs could make our system exceptional." The actual amount of the proposed increase, he said later, "was somewhat arbitrary."

A number of supporters of the increase have objected to the calling of a reconsideration meeting, arguing that if voters were really concerned with the school budget they should have showed up for

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School board to discuss Supt.'s decision not to renew counselor contract

This evening promises to be a long, probably contentious one for the SAD #44 Board of Directors.

At the conclusion of the budget reconsideration meeting, the directors will hold a regular board meeting, which has been rescheduled from Memorial Day.

In addition to dealing with the various financial fallouts from the budget meeting, the directors are expected to appoint new principals for the Woodstock and Andover elementary schools, and to take up the case of Elementary Guidance Counselor Lynn Boschetti.

Boschetti works primarily with pupils at the Crescent Park and Ethel Bisbee schools. She has been with the district for two years, but Supt. Dewaine Craig has reportedly decided not to renew her contract for the coming year.

Craig's decision has provoked an angry response from some parents, who claim Boschetti is an excellent counselor who is not being evaluated on her professional merits.

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GOULD GRADUATION, ABOUT TO TAKE A STRANGE TURN—Last weekend, for the first time in a half dozen years, the sun smiled on the Gould Academy graduation activities. But timeless academic rituals were stood on their head during the academy's 154th commencement exercises by torney, clown/acrobat Sam Killbourne startled the assembled graduates by delivering a non-verbal address, relying on his dozen years as a vaudeville performer, mime and clown acrobat to create a silent communication that played off the traditional formulas of commencement addresses. Unlike most commencement addresses, this was one the new graduates are unlikely to forget.

CAR WASH

Saturday, June 2 • 9-12
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Saturday, June 2
10 am-noon

Rain Date:
Sunday, June 3, 10 a.m.-noon

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Andover • Bethel • Greenwood • Newry • Woodstock

Please attend MSAD 44 School Budget Meeting
at Telstar High School, Thursday, May 31.

Come by 6 p.m. so that you can be checked off
the voter check list.

Sandy's Den Restaurant
Newry Corner, is open.
Come on in!

Lawn Sale

Saturday, June 2
from 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
Jct. of Routes 2 & 28
Newry Corner

Rain Date: Sat., June 9
Same time

To benefit Windy Valleys
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John and Viktor

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The SAD 44 Adult and Community Education Program
invites you to attend
GRADUATION CEREMONIES

on Monday, June 4 at 7:30 p.m.
at the Bethel Inn Conference Center

Members of the Class of 1990:

Timothy Angevine
Lennie Bishop
Travis Buck
Darren Cross
Michael Gilbert
Lisa Jedrey

Larry Roderick
Peter Scotti
Leslie Thurston
Robert Bates
Clyde Brooks
Robert Corriveau
Doreen Dyke

Tina Hanson
Angela Martin
Peter Roshto
Richard Sprague
Toby Walker
Tammy Ward

Opinions

Just do it

SAD #44 voters have the opportunity tonight to do something more than grumble about the school district budget.

It's a rare second-chance we should all make the most of. Thanks to the nearly 400 people who signed the budget reconsideration petition, voters will tonight be able to eliminate the extra \$80,000 in local taxes added to the budget by the relatively few voters who did turn out for the district's first budget meeting, on May 3.

Some have argued that the add-on is no big deal. After all, for the owner of a home valued at \$50,000, it means "only \$12" in additional taxes, enough money for a few videotape rentals. Well, it's always a useful exercise to place such things in their proper perspective, but let's broaden our scope a bit.

The \$12 in additional taxes is on top of a single-year increase of \$88 already included in the school board's budget request. And that \$88 must, in turn, be added to the \$372 a year the owner of that \$50,000 home is already contributing to the school district. And the \$88 figure understates the real increase, since it assumes a constant property valuation, when in fact the average district valuation has increased by nearly 50 percent in the last year alone.

Even without the add-on \$80,000, this year the average homeowner in the district will pay roughly 50 percent more toward the school system than they did just four years ago.

For some fortunate people this may indeed be no big deal, but for many more of us it most certainly is a very big deal—especially when the bulk of the increase has not gone to finance new programs, state-mandated or otherwise, but has instead been eaten up by salary increases for teachers and administrators (another topic for another time).

But even more important tonight than the bottom line is the need to maintain the integrity of the school-budget process—however flawed it might be, however limited our degree of meaningful control.

Supporters of the add-on are without doubt well intended, but squeezing that money out at the last minute, long after the voters had every reason to believe the budget totals were locked in, is just not the way to go. (Such last-minute, pork barrel giveaways are all too common in the U.S. Congress, but we hold our neighbors to higher standards.)

If the programs the \$80,000 would support are worth keeping, then the case for them should have been made at school board budget workshops. This year the board did in fact add other programs back into the budget at the urging of concerned parents.

But hard choices had to be made, and the board faced up to them—recognizing that the taxpayers of the district simply cannot afford to underwrite every new program calved by the educational bureaucracy.

Now it is up to voters to support the board's work by turning out and voting for the original budget proposals.

There's also the matter of an additional \$53,000 in "unanticipated" state money to be dealt with. The money could be used in place of the \$80,000 to fund additional programs, or it could be used to offset local taxes.

But if we are to be consistent with the argument that the board is in the best position to make these tough calls, then it should be left to them to decide how to spend the \$53,000. But the individual directors would, no doubt, be interested to hear their constituents' thoughts on the matter.

The options are all back on the table tonight. In fact, if enough voters decide once again that attending the meeting is too much of a bother, then there will be nothing to stop the more ardent school supporters from raising the budget, and local taxes, by any amount they chose.

And this time, you can't say you weren't warned.

—MRD

Letters to the editor

BETHEL HELPS NEIGHBORS

To the Editor:

In the May 23 local news edition of the Lewiston Sun-Journal, the Chairman of the Newry Growth Committee was quoted as stating that Newry was turned away from help with solid waste, fire and ambulance protection from the Town of Bethel.

Also the article stated that the fees Bethel charges for these services were too high.

As the following facts will clearly show, there is no basis in fact whatsoever to Newry's claims and on the contrary, Bethel has always been very helpful to its neighbor.

Presently, the Town of Bethel is providing free ambulance back-up service to the Town of Newry.

Between the period July 1, 1983 to June 30, 1989, Bethel made 12 ambulance calls to the Town of Newry. Most of these calls were made to the Sunday River Skiway. Also it should be remembered that it was the Town of Newry which voted against having Bethel continue to provide ambulance service to them.

In 1989 the Town of Bethel had no choice but to terminate the full use of our landfill by the Town of Newry because the site was rapidly filling up and we had to save space for our own residents.

However, Newry still uses our landfill for the disposal of white goods, tires, brush material and construction and demolition debris.

For Fiscal Year 1991 this will amount

to \$8,500.

If Bethel did not provide a site to Newry for the disposal of these types of materials, then Newry would have to find its own site at a much higher cost to the Newry taxpayer.

By providing Newry with a disposal site we are saving the Town of Newry a lot of trouble, time and money by not having to deal with the DEP over the location and approval of a white goods, tire and debris dump of their own. Also we are cooperating with Newry on a regional recycling effort through joint participation in the Oxford County Regional Solid Waste Commission.

Not only does Bethel take care of Newry's debris waste but we also take care of their septage waste. The waste that is pumped from the septic tanks in the Town of Newry is disposed of on a private site situated in the Town of Bethel. Bethel State law requires that the selectmen of the towns in which the septage site is located approve the use of the site by other towns.

As we all know, the Bethel selectmen voted to allow Newry to dispose of its septage waste in the Town of Bethel.

Concerning the issue of fire protection, the Town of Bethel provides this service to Newry for a small amount.

For FY91 we will be assessing Newry \$13,000 for the protection of \$79,000,000 worth of valuable property. Certainly, this is an extremely low cost for the value of the property that is protected.

Not only does Bethel provide free back-



DURING Memorial Day services Monday on the Bethel common a number of youngsters, including the two girls pictured above, played in and around the fountain. (Photo by Christy Cross)

up ambulance service to Newry, but we have also provided free back-up police protection to Newry.

For example, between the period Feb. 2, 1989 to April 5, 1990 the Bethel Police responded to 11 requests for back-up assistance from the Sheriff's Office involving the Town of Newry.

Eight of the requests involved crossing the town line into Newry and six of the 11 incidents were related to the Sunday River Skiway. (The instances in which the Bethel police cruiser crossed over the town line into Newry were of a serious and emergency nature.)

It should also be noted that while Newry students are attending school in Bethel we are providing free ambulance, fire, police and solid waste disposal services to them.

In summary, as the above listed facts have shown, the Town of Bethel is being cooperative and helpful neighbor to the Town of Newry.

Wendy Lynch
Bethel Town Manager

GOOD LUCK, OM

To the Editor:

The Crescent Park staff and students wish luck to the OM team that will compete in the World Championships next week. We are so proud of your accomplishments so far and are thrilled to have you representing us in Iowa. We are grateful to the community and School Board for supporting the trip financially.

We wish you a safe trip, a FUN time, and lots of focus and vitality as you perform your skill and answer their questions with the same style you have in the past.

We'll be thinking of you and wishing you luck—parents, coaches Jean Bass, Donna Richard, Nancy Grover, and Walter Hatch, and students Caitlin Bass, Katie Chapman, Missy Gaskey, Martha Grover, Julie Ludlam, and Karen Wheeler.

You're all winners; soon "The World" will see that! Good luck!

Nancy Davis
CPS Principal

SAD #44 INJUSTICE

To the Editor:

This is a plea to the children, the parents and the school board members of SAD #44 School District.

Please attend the school board meeting on Thursday, May 31, at Telstar auditorium at 7 p.m.

Ask your board members to stop Supt. Dewaine Craig from dismissing our

guidance counselor, Lynn Boschetti. This is an action that is being done without just cause. You will be told that we, the public, do not have the power to stop anything, you will be told basically that the board has its hand tied. None of this is true.

Listen, this is still America. This is our school district, we are the taxpayers. As a group we can fight for our rights and for the rights of Mrs. Boschetti.

For those of you who do not know who she is, she is one of the very best, very brightest and most competent guidance counselors in Maine. She loves our children; her own policy, not the school's, is that her phone line, her door, her time is always available to any child or parent who needs her.

This district hired her from Rumford and fought hard to convince her to come here. She came, she has a home here, but what most of you don't know is that she also has a handicap which none of us would want to be cursed with.

Mrs. Boschetti is severely visually impaired. She works in a field where she can continue her work even under these conditions provided that she can get to work. She walks to work. She has never used this handicap for any edge and she is not telling you about it, we are.

Mrs. Boschetti has three supervisors to report to. That is, she has three bosses between the Bethel School and Crescent Park. She works her last hours. The school has called when she was on sick leave and asked her to come in. She has gone not because she had to, but for the sake of a child. She should be receiving an outstanding citizenship award rather than the public humiliation she is being put through.

Is she an inadequate guidance counselor, or is this a major personality conflict?

There are people who would like to sign this letter as they are very much in support of Mrs. Boschetti, but they work for the school district and are fearful of the publicity.

This is an unhappy school district. Let's find out why. There is a grave injustice being done. Please provide your support.

Patricia A. Early, Bethel
Denise Roderick, Newry
Rebecca Gilbert, West Bethel
Lillian Lowell, Bethel

VOTERS FED UP

To the Editor:

Another election year has rolled around and we are beginning to hear more and more about voter apathy.

Political Scientists, pollsters and journalists are hard at work trying to analyze why we have a sluggish voting America.

Over the years, roadside ditches have been allowed to fill in as the Town has had no consistent roadside ditching program. In FY91 we hope to start such a program with a \$10,000 request. This request is included in the Public Works Department budget.

The roadside ditching effort is essentially a preventive maintenance program that will help stop water from seeping into the base and sub-base of our roads.

In the next fiscal year we would like to complete the last, or fourth, phase of the first floor renovations to the Town Office. This work costs \$17,000 and will allow us to develop more space in the front of the Town Office by moving the counter. Also, the renovations will include the usual energy conservation measures such as lower ceilings and insulation.

On behalf of both the selectmen, fellow town employees and myself, I wish to extend our sincere sympathies

to the family of former town employee, George Lutton. All of us were saddened by George's passing as he was well liked and respected and was one of the best Public Works employees and Landfill Attendants that we ever had. He understood and showed his concern about the solid waste issue long before it became a popular topic.

In closing, both the selectmen and myself would like to extend our appreciation to the following persons for the awards they received at the recent Chamber of Commerce annual banquet: Esther Crockett, Business of the Year; Edna York, Senior Citizen Award; and Alan Jodrey, Henry Hastings Award for community service. Each of the deserving recipients earned their awards for contributing something unique and special to the Bethel community.

Rodney Lynch
Town Manager

THIS WEEK AT THE Moses Mason House

Members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the next monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, June 7 in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

The program will feature a panel discussion of mining in the Bethel area followed by a film "Tourmaline: Maine's Mountain Treasure." Anyone interested in attending this meeting is cordially invited to do so.

Through the winter and spring the committee structure of the Bethel Historical Society has been revised. Several committees were changed in scope and focus; new committees were also established.

Recently the Board of Trustees met and approved the following committees: Buildings: Sumner Burgess, George Noll, Julia Brown, Rodney Howe, Fred McMillin, Don Vautour, James Yarnell; Garden and Grounds: Margaret Tibbetts, Sudie Vachon, Gertrude Hutchins, Jane Vogt, Joy Yarnell, Geraldine Howe, Tinke Owning, Lynda Chandler, Arlene Lowell; Education: Alvin Barth, Elizabeth Smith, Judy Haskell, Virginia Kelly, Catherine Newell, Paul McGuire, Marvin Owings; Program: John Bayerlein, Helen Morton, Geraldine Howe, Karen Brown-Mohr, Ernest Perkins, Maxine Brown, Norman Clanton, Earlon Paine, Richard Hosterman, Wendy Penley; Museum: Judy Haskell, Frances Harding, Agnes Haines, Rosalind Chapman, Floribel Haines, Ruth Wight, Sylvia Clanton, Barbara Herrick Brown, Barbara Douglass, Mildred Thomas, Lorie Hoeh, Investment and Finance: Margaret Tibbetts, Edmond J. Vachon, Boyden Keddy, Louise Lincoln, John Head, Wilfred Conary, Roger Conant, Howard Cole, Mary Keniston, Alden Kennett; Special Projects: Persis Post, Carolyn Brooks, Sarah Stevens, Edna York, Julia Brown, Sylvia Wight, Gloria Synder, Mary Keniston, Olive Anderson, Christine Greenleaf, James Anderson, Norris Brown; Genealogical: Agnes Haines, Alden Kennett, Mabel Kennett, Floribel Haines, Nancy Mercer, Judy Barker, Gloria Synder, Mariann Durgin, Nera Coolidge, Jane Hosterman; Craft: Lorie Hoeh, Hope Tibbetts, Marlene Marshall, Carolyn Campbell, Lynda Chandler, Edward Kennett, Alden Kennett; Music: Arlene Brown, Mary Valentine, Edna York, Ruth Silver, Stephen Seames, Vicky Myers; Membership: Barbara D. Brown, Jean Owen, Margaret Cousins, Merton Brown, Jer Brooks; Endowment Campaign: Howard Cole, Barbara D. Brown, John Head, Louise Lincoln, Alden Kennett; Art: Katherine Bennett, Donald Bennett, Helen Morton, Sue Wight, Cathy Newell, Long Range Planning: James Monahan, Cathy Newell, Judy Haskell, Dexter Stowell, John Bayerlein, Lynda Chandler, Richard Hoeh, Margaret Davis; Publications: Rosalind Chapman, Frank Vogt, Barbara Honkala, Phyllis Dock, Jane Hosterman, Joyce Wanger, Robin Lee; Historic Preservation: Solly Rollinson, Kenneth Bohr, James Yarnell; Collections: Jane Hosterman, Allan Fraser, Judy Haskell; Noll Service Award: Judy Haskell, George Holl, Barbara Herrick Brown; Dr. Moses Mason Award: Edmond Vachon, Rosalind Chapman, Margaret Tibbetts.

All committees are open to any

member of the Bethel Historical Society. Much of the work of the Society takes place within the committee system with major recommendations calling for action on behalf of the organization referred to the trustees.

Any Bethel Historical Society member who wishes to be added to a committee should call the Society office at 824-2938.

LOOKING BACK

Ten years ago: A special town meeting was held at the Bethel Fire Station to allow representatives of the Maine State Housing Authority to explain the basics of the proposed elderly housing project in the former Thunderbird Motel on Main Street.

The Telstar Regional High School class of 1970 announced a reunion at Lone Pine Camping Area, Newry.

About 200 persons attended the birthday party commemorating the 191st anniversary of the birth of Dr. Moses Mason (1789-1886).

About 850 people attended the Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show held in the Dr. Moses Mason House meeting room.

Memorial Day ceremonies were held at the Monument following the parade on Main Street.

Deaths: Mark R. Waterhouse, Mabelle B. Andrews, Harold W. Merrill.

Twenty years ago: The Telstar Regional High School Band in their new uniforms participated in Memorial Day exercises in Bethel, Locke Mills and Bryant Pond.

Janis Kennagh was named salutatorian of the 1970 graduating class of Bethel Business College in Bangor.

Birth: Robert Lloyd Parker. Marriage: Daniel R. Davis and Laurel G. Brown. Deaths: Lottie Maud Warren, Mary C. Stanley, A. Herbert Tift, Barbara K. Newman.

Thirty years ago: John and Betty Tibbetts and two children departed for Japan.

An International Cooperative Administration study group headed by Margaret Joy Tibbetts of Bethel arrived in Leopoldville at the invitation of the General Executive Council of the Belgian Congo in Leopoldville and the Belgian government.

Forty years ago: Rev. Kingsley Hawthorne announced his resignation as pastor of the Bethel Congregational Church to become pastor of the Elliot Union Congregational Church at Lowell, Mass.

The nursing home of Mrs. Eugene Annis of Gilead was burned to the ground and the nearby home of Fred Goodnow badly damaged. Nothing from the Annis home was saved. The Bethel and Gorham, N.H. Fire Departments were called. Gary Rainey, Mrs. Annis' grandson suffered a broken wrist and back injuries when he jumped from a second story window.

Deaths: Eldora H. Brown, Edward N. Holder, Elmer K. Cole, Adelaide Lester. Fifty years ago: A defective section on the roadway of the Androscoggin bridge was being replaced.

Oxford County farmers received 2,531 tons of ground limestone and 456 tons of super-phosphate under the conservation program.

Births: Juanita E. Harmon, Donald Wilson Whitman, Clinton H. Cushman, Herbert Morton III, Robert Butters, Sandra M. Olson. Marriage: Lloyd C. Fuller and Mary B. Davis. Deaths: Florence C. Tibbetts, Mary E. Hall.

All committees are open to any

The answer is quite simple—Americans feel that their vote really doesn't matter when such a large percentage of the incumbents run unopposed. They feel that the life time politicians no longer represent them, but are fully attentive to the special interest groups. They feel that no matter how well intentioned a candidate may be to start with, the road to political power was paved with good intentions, but resurfaced with greed and self serving interests.

But the American voters are not apathetic; they are just fed up. As co-director of the Maine Chapter of Americans To Limit Congressional Terms, I hear this on a daily basis. Though this grass-roots organization is in its infancy, the response to news items and editorials has been overwhelming throughout the state of Maine.

Letter after letter echos the same frustration: "I am fed up, count me in!" Term limitation is an issue that sparks the voters and gives them some hope that they can do something that will make a difference.

To quote pollster Geoffrey Garin: "People don't feel any sense of ownership over the federal government. It isn't them and it isn't theirs." Term limitation is their opportunity to reclaim their government.

The American voters are NOT apathetic—they have been lulled into a sense of hopelessness from which they

are waking. Politicians, take note—the people that you have pledged to represent are taking steps to make sure that you do.

To those who have responded to ALCT, we wish to express our heart felt thanks and to anyone else interested in reclaiming their government, they may contact the Maine Chapter of ALCT at P.O. Box 465, Bryant Pond 04219.

Sharon L. Bouchard
Bryant Pond

NEWRY WITHDRAWAL

To the Editor:

In last week's Citizen it was stated that it would cost SAD #44 about \$500,000 a year in lost revenue if Newry withdrew from the district. This is the amount that the district towns would have to raise to continue at the same level of expenditures even if the Newry pupils continued to attend SAD #44.

Although it seems likely that the state subsidy would increase, I believe that SAD #44 voters would find it very difficult to approve an increase necessary to continue at the present spending level. The result would be more cuts in the program. For Newry this is the equivalent of "shooting oneself in the foot;" less money spent but a limited educational program.

One of the reasons for forming school districts was to broaden the tax base to support an area larger than a township.

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FROM THE Bethel Town Office

Since the annual Bethel Town Meeting will soon be upon us (June 13, 1990 at the Telstar High School Auditorium) I would like to devote a couple of weekly columns to explain some of the more important issues that will be facing the voters at the meeting.

This week's column will discuss the purchase of two defibrillators for the Ambulance Department, purchase of protective clothing by the Fire Department, initiation of a roadside ditching program and the final renovations to the first floor of the Town Office.

Included within the Ambulance Service Department is a request for the

purchase of two defibrillators. The cost of these two units is \$13,600, of which the BEARS organization will donate.

A defibrillator will allow an ambulance attendant to deliver an electrical shock to a patient in an attempt to restart the heart.

Presently, members of the Ambulance Department are attending classes on how to use a defibrillator.

One of the rapidly increasing expenses within the Fire Department is the cost of purchasing new protective clothing which meets state standards.

For Fiscal Year 1991 (July 30, 1990-June 30, 1991) the Fire Department will be requesting \$9,000 for new protective clothing for outfitting new members and for replacing clothing for present members whose existing clothing no longer meets state standards.

It is estimated that it costs \$550 to properly outfit each firefighter.

Letters

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Before school districts each town paid for its local pupils. This made for inequities since mill towns like Rumford could provide better facilities, higher teacher salaries, materials, etc. at little cost to the local homeowner due to the taxes contributed by the paper mill. Towns like Mexico had residents working in the mill but did not benefit from the mill taxes. Mexico residents' taxes were higher on equivalent property and the money available for schools was less.

In school districts, school taxes are assessed to the towns based on state valuation—if you have a higher valuation than other towns in the district you pay more taxes. This seems fair as long as property values are the basis for local taxes.

In the early years of SAD #44 the Telstar (now Comsat) complex provided a lot of taxable value for Andover; thus, Andover paid a share out of proportion to its pupil population.

In FY '76 Andover paid 32.1 percent compared with Newry's 5.0 percent. For FY '91 Newry pays 24.4 percent while Andover pays 12.5 percent.

What did this mean to the taxpayer with a home assessed at \$60,000 in 1989? Using the 1989 Tax Assessment divided by the 1990 State Valuation one can get an approximation of a tax rate that is equivalent throughout the state. Thus the tax rate on a home assessed at \$60,000 is as follows:

Town	Rates	Tax
Newry	07.56	\$478
Bethel	11.58	\$695
Woodstock	13.30	\$798
Andover	14.00	\$840
Greenwood	14.79	\$887

(Source: Maine Townsman, February 1990.)

While these tax assessments include money raised during the year for all purposes, the SAD assessment is a major portion. As you can see, the Greenwood pupils and the Newry pupils are getting the same educational opportunities while the Newry taxpayer is paying less than his/her counterpart in Greenwood by \$495, or 54 percent.

By remaining in SAD #44 the Newry resident taxpayer will still get a good deal as well as the other taxpayers in the district.

Dexter M. Stowell
Bethel

Northern Forest Lands Study released

Secretary of Agriculture Clayton Yeutter last week issued the Northern Forest Lands Study, a report to Congress addressing the resources, landownership patterns, social and economic conditions and changes occurring in the 26 million acre northern forest study area in northern New England and New York.

The study was carried out cooperative-

ly by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Forest Service, a Governor's Task Force representing Maine, New Hampshire, New York and Vermont, and private organizations and corporations.

The study examined changes in landownership and use in the region, including subdivision and development of

lake shores, river corridors and scenic areas.

The study identified 28 different strategies that can help conserve environmental, recreational and commercial values in the northern forest area. The study concludes that the long term goal of maintaining these values for the future, but that a combination of strategies in an integrated conservation program could be effective.

An ongoing partnership of all levels of government and conservation organizations, corporations and individuals is fundamental to achieving the desired future condition of the area, the study said.

"The work of the Forest Service and the Governors' Task Force is an outstanding example of interstate communication and state-federal cooperation," said Yeutter.

Copies of the report may be obtained by writing Northern Forest Land Study, Forest Service, P.O. Box 520, Rutland, Vt., 05701; or by calling 802-773-2133.

Local MUA decries 'greenlining' in Northern Forest Lands report

On Tuesday, the Multiple Use Association expressed disappointment with the U.S. Forest Service for incorporating in the final draft of a study dealing with the forest lands of northern New England, the concept of "greenlining" as a method of "conservation."

The Northern Forest Lands Study (NFLS) outlines the perceived threats to and potential management strategies for 26.8 million acres of forest land in northern Maine (15 million acres), northern New Hampshire (1.2 million acres), western New York (7.6 million acres) and northern Vermont (2 million acres).

Leon Favreau, president of MUA, said "greenlining is a way to control private land without compensation to the owners. The report and the greenline park concept, in particular, are good examples of government making things worse in the name of the public interests."

The report mentioned the Columbia River Gorge in Oregon and Washington as an example of a federally legislated greenline park that could be replicated in northern New England.

According to Joseph Wrabe, Mayor of Cascade Lockes, Oregon which is located in the Gorge, living "under the protection of the federal government" in a greenline area is less than desirable and is responsible for "rising taxes, rising utility bills, declining industry and services and the federal government trying to buy everything in sight." Mr. Wrabe, a featured speaker at MUA's Annual Meeting held in South Portland on May 7, also said is a resident of the Gorge is

lucky enough to get permission to add on to his house, he is told "what color to paint it and what kind of vegetation and how tall vegetation and how much vegetation he has to plant around it."

The states and communities located in northern New England and area have passed many land laws and regulations and produced incentives for proper land management. Timber management has seen many improvements in recent years, in large part through the efforts of the forestry community. Rather than trying to implement greenlining, which would have a negative effect on local residents, the USFS would better serve the people by initiating a massive educational effort. Education could help dispel the myths about wildlife and forest health perpetuated by Favreau.

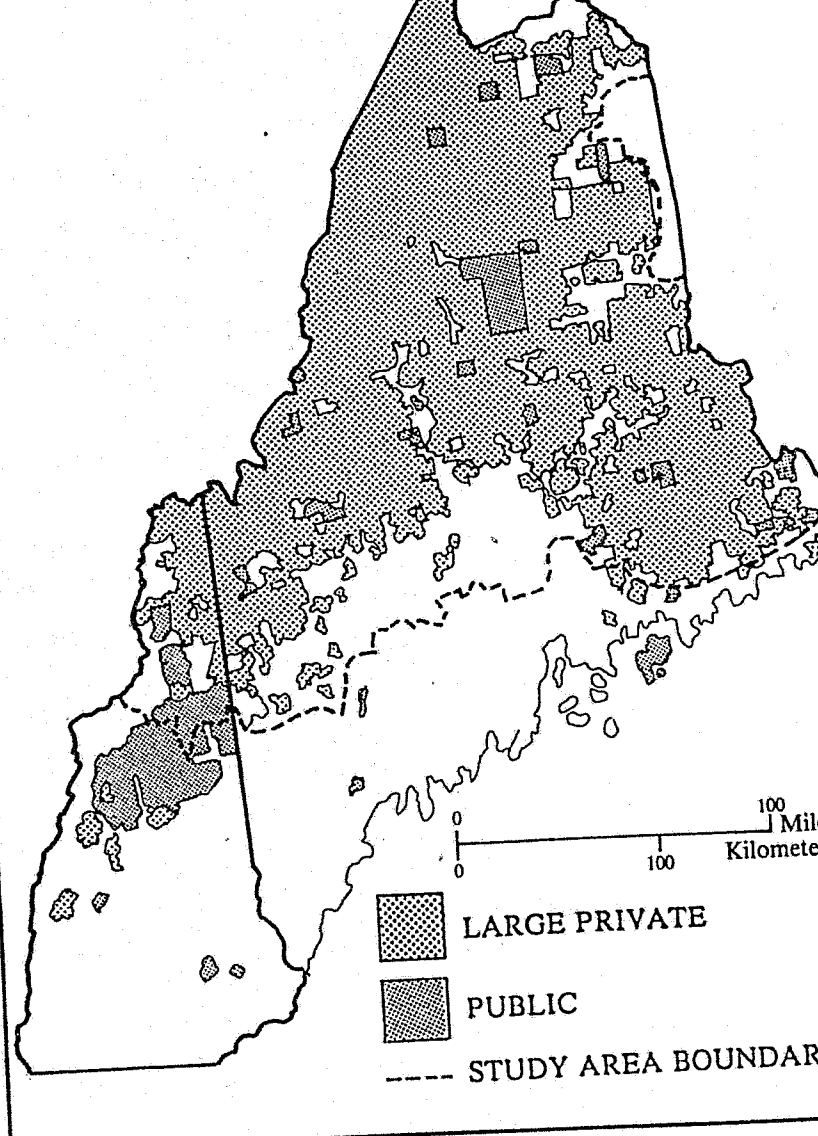
MUA believes government can play a role in land conservation by purchasing development easements from "willing sellers" in visually sensitive areas, such as waterfronts. Such lands can continue to support local communities through tax dollars while benefiting those who place

high value on certain aesthetics.

The Multiple Use Association is comprised of individuals and companies concerned about the health of the forest now and in the future and the promotion of good forest management practices. Most of MUA's members are located in northern New England.

For more information call Y. Leon Favreau, Multiple Use Association, Star Route 52A, Gorham, N.H., 03601 (Copies of Wrabe talk available by fax), 802-838-8294 or 803-466-2659, or Joseph Wrabe, Mayor, P.O. Box 70, Cascade Lockes, Oregon, 97014, 503-374-8565.

Northern Forest Lands Study Area



Conservation groups urge action

A coalition of 17 conservation groups, including the Appalachian Mountain Club, recently released a joint statement on the reports of the U.S. Forest Service on the Northern Forest Lands Study (NFLS).

The conservation groups are calling for federal legislation to be enacted this year to:

1. establish a Northern Forest Lands Council, composed of representatives from each state and the federal government, to help develop and coordinate land conservation programs in the northern forest lands;
2. continue the Northern Forest Lands Study to further develop the detailed information and strategies needed to create a long-term protection plan for the

northern forest lands; and

3. create a revolving Northern Forest Lands Fund of \$25 million for emergency acquisitions of land threatened by development.

Further, according to the statement, the conservation coalition believes that "only a long-term program of coordinated land use planning based upon standards agreed to by the states, and combined with economic incentives tied to long-term land protection and public acquisition of land and interests in land, will be successful in protecting the integrity of the northern forest lands."

Andrew Falender, executive director of the AMC, said, "It is clear to us that only a regional approach of coordinated land use planning, appropriate economic development, and public land acquisition can possibly be effective in protecting these lands. We are looking forward to working with our partner conservation organizations, as well as with the states and the federal government, to develop this long-term, coordinated strategy."

Added Blackmer, "This broad consensus regarding the next steps, not only among the conservation organizations but also among the governors and the federal government, underscores the urgency of major action to protect these vital lands. We urge the congressional delegations of all four states to move aggressively on the funding needed to move this effort ahead."

Bethel police

On Friday, May 25 at 1:40 p.m. a Lower Main Street resident reported the theft of a battery, gasoline can and battery cables from a bulldozer at a lot on Rt. 2. The stolen items have an estimated value of \$100.

At 9:30 a.m. a Rt. 2 resident called police for assistance in unlocking his vehicle, which was parked on Rt. 5.

On Thursday, May 24 at 7:10 p.m. a Railroad Street resident reported someone had broken into her apartment while she was away and had stolen skis, bindings and a ski bag valued at \$625.

At 9 a.m. a Vernon Street resident asked police about getting a Children at Play sign put up on Vernon Street. Police will monitor the area to determine the need for a sign.

On Wednesday, May 23 at 4:15 p.m. a West Bethel resident called for assistance in unlocking his vehicle.

On Tuesday, May 22 at 11:49 a.m. the Bethel Fire Chief reported that a vehicle parked on Lower Main Street near the bus garage was leaking gasoline. The driver, a Gilead resident, said the car's muffler had hit the railroad tracks as she was crossing

and put a hole in the car's gas tank. She called a wrecker.

On Monday, May 21 at 5:38 p.m. a Mt. View Circle resident reported ATV's crossing her posted property. At 3:45 p.m. a Teletar staff member reported a tire had been slashed on the school. Replacement value of the tire is \$65.

At 3 p.m. a Bethel resident requested a 48-hour form for a hit and run accident. May 18 at a local restaurant.

On Sunday, May 20 at 3:15 p.m. a Skiffings Road resident reported a neighbor target shooting.

At 8:25 a.m. police received a report that several vehicles parked at a local inn had been vandalized by bending or breaking their antennas.

Also, early Sunday morning police received two reports of intruder alarms going off in the area, possibly as a result of a planned Central Maine Power Co. power outage during the night.

On Saturday, May 19 at 10:45 p.m. police were called to remove an intoxicated person from a local lounge.

At 6:30 p.m. a local inn employee called police to run a registration check on a patron who had left without paying his food bill.

At 5:10 p.m. a Main Street business reported the theft of two video tapes.

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SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

WEEK OF JUNE 4-8

SAD #44—

Monday: Hamburg in a bun, cheese slice, salad, fruit, milk.
 Tuesday: Roast turkey and gravy (Telstar choice of meat), mashed potato, mixed desserts, bread and butter, milk.
 Wednesday: Tomato soup, crackers and cheese, fresh vegetables, cookies, ham salad in a bun, milk.
 Thursday: Hamburg gravy, buttered noodles or rice, vegetable, fruit, hot cinnamon bun, milk.
 Friday: Hot dog in a bun (Telstar choice of meat), salad, mixed desserts, milk.
 Friday, June 8, is the last day lunch will be served. Milk will be available during the last week of school.

Sue Fraser graduates from Colgate University

Sue A. Fraser, daughter of Lawrence and Edleen Winslow, recently received a B.A. in Humanities from Colgate University in Hamilton, N.Y.
 While at Colgate, Fraser was active in the Ski Club and volunteer Colgate activities. She was also a member of Pi Beta Phi Fraternity for women, serving on its executive council for three years as secretary and house manager.
 Recently Fraser received a nomination for the national Lillian Beck Helton Award, awarded annually for the best Pi Beta Phi house or room manager.
 Fraser is currently a candidate for the Maine District 49 Representative and hopes to further her education in the future by studying for a master's degree in Public Administration.

Bowdoin college graduates Marsha Ann Sheehan

Marsha Ann Sheehan of Newry was awarded a bachelor of arts degree recently at Bowdoin College's 185th Commencement Exercises.
 Bowdoin President A. LeRoy Gresson presented the diploma.
 Sheehan is a graduate of Telstar Regional High School. At Bowdoin she majored in economics and minored in education and was a dean's list student.
 Sheehan volunteered in the Big Brother/Big Sister Program, at the Bath Children's Home, where a group of Bowdoin students provide weekly companionship to the children, and at the Tedford House, a shelter for the homeless of Brunswick.
 Her fraternity was Alpha Rho Upsilon, where she served as social chairman, vice president, and president. She served as secretary of the Inter-Fraternity Council.

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POSTER CONTEST—All Crescent Park students, grades 3-5, recognized April as Child Abuse Awareness Month. Each student entered a poster/slogan contest which was judged by Arla Patch and Kathy Bennett. The contest winners are, pictured from left, first row, Fawne Packard, Victoria Coolidge, Elizabeth Buck, Malinda Gilbert, Rusty Seames, Doreen Morin and Katie Chapman. Second row, April Leonard, Jaime Grover, Mandy Berry, Grayson Wakefield, Scott Hart, Jay Melville and Candi Smith. Third row, Ms. Germain, Cathy Morgan, Crystal Bonney, Alicia Taylor, Naomi Bean, Peter Gordon, Jason Berry and Mrs. Wight. Winners absent when picture was taken are Freeman Corriveau and Jenny Mae Wheeler.

Agnes Gray School

By MARTA CLEMENTS

The last month of school is upon us. The sixth grade has participated in their last Waste Away program, but the recycling and our Earth Week type activities will continue.

Mr. Koch visited the Legion Memorial School and planted a row of black spruce trees which were provided by the Maine Paper Industries. We hope to watch these seedlings mature over the next several years.

Andrew Bolstridge, Derek Boutiller and Kevin Hutchinson are the social studies presenters of the week. Their topic is the Eastern Highlands of South America.

Mr. Grigsby and Mr. Koch are working with the sixth graders with new curriculum material called Refusal Skills. The goal of this program is to teach methods for boys and girls to say no to drugs, yet maintain their friends, stay out of trouble and have fun.

Superintendent Smith and Mr. Dave Marshall of our maintenance department are planning to meet with the student recycling committee on June 6. Ideas are to be exchanged and projects suggested.

My fifth graders seemed to enjoy our rollerskating party and meeting their penpals from Norway. Some offered to write next year if I need extra penpals.

We have finished up our science unit on Paths of Light and are looking forward to making our periscopes. We are finishing up our basal reader and have enjoyed listening to an old radio tape of Bud Abbott and Lou Costello doing their dialogue in our book helps make it easier to understand.

The fourth graders enjoyed their trip

to Augusta. They visited the Blaine House, the State House and the State Museum. All fourth graders in the district study Maine history and our class completed their work last fall. They do not forget the song they sing to learn Maine's 16 counties and they do not forget their trip to our capital.

Our third graders are learning how to write different kinds of poetry. They are writing cinquains and rhyming couplets. They continue to learn their map skills and are working on scale. They are beginning to work on projects for our upcoming Curriculum Fair.

The second graders are making local field trips as part of their science and social studies lessons. On Thursday they visited our local post office. Mrs. Young always makes her visitors feel welcome and teaches a lot about how the post office works.

On May 28 the class is looking forward to a day at the Conservation camp in Bryant Pond and a variety of environmental activities.

Mrs. Loper reports that her first grade musical program was a huge success. Her room was full of guests and she was very proud of her first grade singers. Their program was Music Through the Year.

The kindergarten classes are reviewing the letters and sounds of C, D, B, P, and G. They are working with sets of six and are gluing sets of six toothpicks into a variety of patterns. They are also learning to add and subtract and are playing take-away games.

Both the kindergarten and first grade classes are looking forward to a guest storyteller, Charlotte Mayo, who will be sharing her own, original stories with these classes.

Our book fair was very successful. The children will have one more opportunity

to pick up a book of their very own. There will be one more RIF day, on June 4. Teachers are also allowed one selection for their classrooms.
 The last day of school for students will be June 15. Report cards will be coming home with each child on the last day.

A week in the life of HILLARY HARRISON

So it's been a wonderful week. My grandparents came last Saturday. They are my mother's mom and dad. My mom and Stine got back from California last Tuesday. They saw San Francisco at night. They said that it was beautiful. They also taped a video of what they saw, and my uncle's surgery went fine, he's just a bit tired.

In school we had a lot of tests last week. We had three tests on Tuesday. I studied for an hour for each test. I did good on the tests, too. See ya next week.

BRUCE BARTH GRADUATES FROM ROGER WILLIAMS

Bruce B. Barth, of Bethel, was presented as a candidate for the Bachelor of Architecture degree in Architecture from Roger Williams College, Bristol, R.I., in commencement ceremonies held May 19.

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McDonald's sponsors junior high aspirations program at Oxford Hills

On behalf of Ronald McDonald Children's Charities of Maine, Al LeClerc, McDonald's owner/operator, will present a \$4,000 grant to the Oxford Hills Chamber of Commerce "Partners for the Future" program.
 The RMCC grant will pay for the administrative costs of a mentoring program at the Oxford Hills Junior High School.

This program will involve 10 students and members of the community in a mentoring relationship designed to raise the aspiration levels of those students. The program is designed to help students who are achieving below their potential but who do not fall into the category of other, existing programs.

Telstar High School names May students-of-the-month

The Telstar Regional High School senior student-of-the-month is Matthew Littlehale, son of Learned and Carol Littlehale of Andover.

Matthew was recognized by his English teacher Mrs. Melville for several outstanding qualities. Mrs. Melville cites Matthew for his dependability, cooperativeness, academic excellence, and desire to do his best at all times. She also recognizes Matthew for his honesty with his teachers and himself.

Shelly Corriveau, daughter of James and Donna Corriveau of Bethel is the junior student-of-the-month. Shelly was nominated by her journalism teachers Mrs. Taylor and Mr. Delehanty. They recognized Shelly for her willingness to work on projects until they are fine products and for the amount of learning that has taken place during the year.

The sophomore student-of-the-month is Randy Kangas, son of Richard and Louise Kangas of Bryant Pond. Randy was recognized by his advanced basic

math teacher, Mrs. Higgins. Mrs. Higgins nominated Randy for his consistent effort and attention to his assignments and his willingness to help others.

Mandee Henricks, daughter of Timothy and Karen Henricks of Bethel is the freshman student-of-the-month. Mandee was nominated by her algebra I teacher Mr. Applin. Mr. Applin cites Mandee for her improvement in algebra I to become a first class student. After transferring to Telstar in the first quarter she started off shakily, but worked hard and now has excellent skills and study habits.

Special Recognition Freshmen—Tony Hart-Support Class, Betsy Johnson-CP English.

The National Honor Society would like to congratulate all of the students-of-the-month and those who received special recognition. We would also like to thank the teachers who took the time to recognize these dedicated students.

Lucia Owen keynotes Gould Honor Society induction

Gould Academy English Department chair Lucia Owen stressed the importance of making mistakes in learning in an address to the student body on the occasion of the naming of new inductees into the National Honor Society and the student leadership program.

"I had to fault American education for one thing, I'd say that the system fails because it says mistakes are wrong," Owen said, drawing on over two decades of experiences teaching literature and writing at Gould. "We subtract points and hold impossible models of perfection when you should have points added for the originality and quality of your mistakes, and how you overcome them."

New inductees to the 1990 Gould Academy National Honor Society were named and student leaders for the 1990-91 school year were announced Friday, May 11, at an all school assembly in Bingham auditorium.

Named to the National Honor Society for the first time were Molly Gartrell of Warner, N.H., Bryce Gasser of Bethel, Amanda Wight of Bethel, Stephanie Morin of Springvale, Russell Stein of Hingham, Mass., Matt Aeschliman of

Portsmouth, N.H., Oren Murphy of Waldoboro, and Heidi Van Winkle of South Casco.

Next year's 15 dorm proctors, who comprise the schools' student leadership program, were also announced, based on an evaluation of each of this year's juniors by the student body and the faculty.

The students were rated on leadership, dependability, fairness, and initiative. Their responsibilities include assisting faculty in the supervision of dormitories, initiating student activities, and leading the fall new student orientation camping trips.

Next year's proctors are Lee Roberto of Vernon, Vt., Robert Rhu of Las Vegas, Nev., Luis Aguilar of Miami, Fla., Brian Layole of Gifford, N.H., Chris Drake of Cape Elizabeth, Wayne Carter of Atlanta, Ga., Dan Bornstein of Bedford Hills, N.Y., Martha Newell of Bethel, Stephanie Morin of Springvale, Monroka Sakata of Eastchester, N.Y., Laurie Matthews of Bozeman, Mo., Wendy Hawkes of Falmouth, Elizabeth Morris of Esprit, Karyn Steenstra of Camden, and Megan Kilmer of Prospect, Ky.

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NOTES FROM

Telstar Guidance

The Telstar High School Guidance Office has had many activities and events taking place during the month of May.

On Thursday, May 3, 25 juniors attended a College Fair at Fryeburg Academy. One hundred two and four-year colleges from all over New England, North Atlantic Coastal States, and the Midwest attended.

Juniors attending were encouraged to initiate their college search process and visit college campuses over the summer.

On May 1, former Olympic Ski Team Coach and Sunday River Ski Resort Trails Maintenance Supervisor, Bob Harkins, was a guest speaker. Harkins focused his presentation on setting goals, doing one's "homework," and being a dedicated individual either in athletics, the classroom or within the work setting.

Career Exploration Week, a job shadowing and career decision-making experience for juniors and seniors, was held during March 12-16 this school year. One hundred and forty juniors and seniors participated at various businesses and non-profit agencies throughout Oxford County, the state of Maine and throughout New England.

Career Week awards

This year's recipients of the Best Career Week projects are:

Juniors—Althea Stevens, Continental Airlines/Portland International Jetport; Kelly Hayes, O'Donal's Nurseries, Gorham, Maine; Kris Delano, Channel 8-WMTW TV, Auburn; Jennifer Felt, Woodstock Elementary School; Becky Hanscom, Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway; Lynn Buckingham, News Nursery School, Rumford; Nancy Carter, University of Southern Maine Day Care Center.

Seniors—Amy Brindley, Continental Airlines/Portland International Jetport; Wendy Faulkingham, Norway Savings Bank; Barbara Mosher, Jane's Bridal Shop, Jay, Maine; Jennifer Stowell, St. Mary's Chemical Dependency Unit, Lewiston; Tony Stevens, Channel 10-WCBB TV, Lewiston; Becky Witter, Oxford Hills Internal Medicine, Norway; Aaron Conant, James River Company, Berlin, N.H.; Stephanie Percival, St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston.

Curriculum development

The District Guidance and Counseling Team, consisting of school counselors K-12, have completed an extensive curriculum development, evaluation process, job descriptions and overall recommendations for better guidance and counseling programming.

The Academic Standards Guidance and Counseling Committee has made presentations to the teaching staff at Ethel Bisbee, Crescent Park, Telstar Middle School, and Andover Elementary schools.



T-SHIRT WINNERS—Caroline Gould's first grade class at Ethel Bisbee School are the proud winners of T-shirts for their 100 percent participation in the fluoride mouthrinse program. The T-shirts were presented by Chris Cole, R.N., district nurse and director of the 5AD #44 Dental Health Program. Pictured are Jessica Archer, Amber Bacheider, Corey Desrosiers, Tia Edwards, Emily Gilbert, Travis Gilbert, Angus Graham, Alex Johnson, Charles Johnson, Erika Kenyon, Amanda McGrew, Bobbie McKenna, Desiree Morgan, Jarienne Nadeau, Travis Ritchie, Will Seames, Daniel Stevens, Bion Swan, Kimberly Tibbets, Jeffery Tyler, Michael Walker, Marie Ward and Justin Wight.

tary schools.

Last Wednesday, May 9, Guidance Director Dan Hart, Telstar M.S. Counselor Sally Hannon, and parent/community member Jewell Clark, presented the District Guidance and Counseling program/curriculum to Telstar High School faculty.

This series of Academic Standards District Guidance and Counseling presentations will conclude on Wednesday, May 23, with the Woodstock Elementary School faculty.

Julie Bicknell-Behr, assistant director of Admissions and Career Counseling at the University of Maine at Farmington, was a guest speaker of Self Group on Wednesday, May 9.

Bicknell-Behr spoke on career decision-making strategies, setting goals, wanting to achieve, looking at short term and long term planning.

Hart's Self Group session ends the week of May 21-25. Each group will have a luncheon meeting when evaluation of Self Group and new membership for 90-91 will be discussed.

The Telstar National Honor Society is busy this month with several activities. An Ice Cream Sundae Sale was held on Friday, May 11, proceeds will go towards the N.H.S. Scholarship

Fund.

N.H.S. Seniors and officers have planned to visit Linda Wheeler's fifth grade class on Thursday, May 24. The Telstar N.H.S. plans to do an activity with the fifth graders on high school expectations.

Maine Association for Counseling and Development

Hart has been a member of the Executive Board for the Maine Association for Counseling and Development the past three years and has traveled around Maine and New England, meeting with school and college admissions counselors, marriage and family therapists and mental health counselors.

The accomplishments and success that Hart achieved as an Executive Board member include increased public awareness of the roles of counselors and counseling and increased networking/training opportunities for counselors.

As a result of his term as an officer of M.E.A.C.D., Hart has provided a positive and professional image of Telstar High School. Consequently, professional school counselors, business and college representatives have a better awareness and working relationship with our high school and

News from

Woodstock School

From the Desk of the Principal

Our Volunteer Recognition Banquet held at the Boiler Room Tuesday night was a huge success. Over 50 staff and volunteers enjoyed good food and conversation.

The highlight of the evening was the presentation of our first Volunteer of the Year Award.

The co-winners this year were Mary Besaw and Margaret Hall. A plaque recognizing their achievement will be on display in the hall soon. Many thanks to Jolene Shimamura and Jackie Morin for coordinating this year's program. Also, thanks to Gary Savage for opening the Boiler Room for us on his off night and providing us with excellent food and atmosphere.

I am pleased to inform you that the interview team has nominated Francis Boynton, principal of the Steuben Elementary School, to be my successor here at Woodstock.

Mr. Boynton's nomination will be considered by the School Board at their May 31 meeting. We were all very impressed by the high quality of the candidates for the principalship. Nearly 20 applications were received and four excellent candidates were interviewed. I am hopeful that our new principal will be on hand for Step Up Day on June 1.

Step-Up Day will see all children move on to the next grade to visit their new teachers. Our Grade 6 will go on to Grade 7 at Telstar Middle School and we shall welcome our new Kindergarten students on that day.

Best wishes for a dry weekend.

school district.

Post-secondary acceptances

Seniors who have recently received post secondary acceptances are: Teague Berry, Engineering, University of Maine at Orono; Aaron Conant, Chemical Engineering, University of Maine at Orono; David Foster, Mechanical Engineering, University of Maine at Orono; Rena Hutson, English, University of Maine at Orono; Barbara Mosher, Business Administration, University of Maine at Orono and University of Southern Maine; John Dorman, Computer Information Systems, Husson College, Computer Science, University of Southern Maine; Audrey Thibodeau, Communications, University of Maine at Orono.

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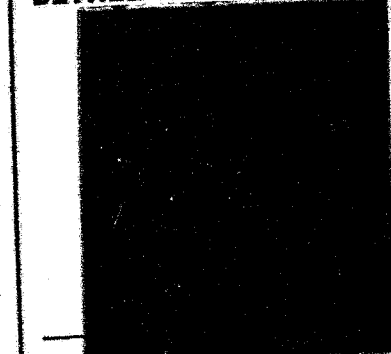
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(3)	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Movie: "... And Justice for All"				Hogan	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere	
(4)	Rendezvous	Monitor	Secrets of Nature	Beyond 2000			Machines	City Safari	Wildlife	Predators
(5)	Scarecrow-King		Movie: "Waco"				700 Club		Scarecrow-King	
(6)	Cosby	Night Court	Cosby	Diff. World	Cheers	Seinfeld	L.A. Law	News	Tonight	
(7)	Cur. Affair	Boss?	Father Dowling	Young Riders			Primetime Live	News	Nightline	
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Maine	Mystery!	Golden Years			Butterflies	Brush		
(9)	Spenser: For Hire		Movie: "Prescription for Murder"				Spenser: For Hire			
(10)	Music Row Video		Big Valley Jamboree	Nashville Now			Crook	Mus. Shop	On Stage	
(11)	Maine State Citizen Bee	48 Hours		NBA Basketball Playoffs: Portland at Phoenix				News		
(12)	Sports	Sports Writers on TV	Soccer: U.S. World Cup Team vs. Ajax of Holland	Sports	Pennant	Rod-Reel				
(13)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews	Larry King Live	CNN News					
(14)	"Who's Harry Crumb?"	Movie: "You Can't Hurry Love"		"How to Get Ahead in Advertising"			"The January Man"			
(15)	Boxing: From the Trump Plaza			CART Wk.	This Week in NASCAR					
(16)	Boxing: Charles Murray vs. Robert Guy			Baseball	SportsCtr.					
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FRIDAY EVENING JUNE 1, 1990										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Cleveland Indians					Hogan	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere	
(4)	Rendezvous	Monitor	Bill Burrud's Animals	American Album			Women	Look East	Arabia	
(5)	Scarecrow-King		Movie: "Brothers by Choice"				700 Club		Bordertown	
(6)	Cosby	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Cleveland Indians					Hardball		News	Tonight
(7)	Cur. Affair	Boss?	Billy Graham Crusade	Strangers	Ten of Us		20/20		News	Nightline
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Alive From Off Center: Cinderella			Movie: "Main Street to Broadway"			
(9)	Spenser: For Hire		Movie: "The Marva Collins Story"				Molly Dodd	Esquire	Spenser: For Hire	
(10)	Music Row Video		Texas	On Stage	Nashville Now		Crook	Texas	On Stage	
(11)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Sports	City	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Detroit Pistons at Chicago Bulls				News	
(12)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews	Larry King Live	CNN News					
(13)	"Ghost Fever" Cont'd		Movie: "No Retreat, No Surrender II"	Movie: "No Mercy"						
(14)	Red Sox	Texas Special Olympics					Interview	Golf: Tucker Anthony	Bowling	
(15)	Red Sox	Texas Special Olympics					Major League Baseball: Teams TBA			
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SATURDAY EVENING JUNE 2, 1990										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Cleveland Indians						Movie: "The Killer Elite"			
(4)	Natural W.	Natural W.	Challenge	Wings			War Stories		TDC-TV	
(5)	Rin Tin Tin	T and T	Dirty Dozen: The Series				Hardcastle		Scarecrow-King	
(6)	Cheers	Night Court	13 East	Amen	Golden G.	Empty Nest	Carol	FM	News	Sat. Night
(7)	Star Search		Mission: Impossible				Movie: "Kojak: It's Always Something"			Byron Allen
(8)	Maine	Know Me.	WonderWorks				Doctor Who	Exit 13	San Fran. Story	
(9)	Movie: "The Last Frontier" Cont'd						Moonlighting		Spenser: For Hire	
(10)	With Dinah	City Music	Church St.	Ole Opry	B. Mandrell		Mus. Shop	Texas	On Stage	Ole Opry
(11)	Fortune	Win, Lose	Parade		Tour of Duty		Connie Chung		News	Teletown
(12)	American Soccer League: Washington at Boston						WBL Basketball: Spain at Calgary		Sports	Belmont
(13)	Capital	Sports Sat.	Primenews		Showbiz	East-West	CNN News		Capital	Sports
(14)	"100 Rifles" Cont'd		Scenes From the Class Struggle in Beverly Hills				Movie: "Alien"			
(15)	PGA Golf: Dunhill British Masters						College Baseball: NCAA Division II Championship			Tennis
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	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Movie: "Raid on Rommel"				Fri. the 13th Series		War of the Worlds		Manager	Christian
(4)	Nature of Things	Sea of Slaughter			Africa's Great Migration		Terrorism: Shadows		Wings	Win. Walk
(5)	Rin Tin Tin	T and T	Oceans	Snapshots	In Touch		Ben Haden	Ankerberg	Paid Prog.	Win. Walk
(6)	Magical World of Disney				Revealing Evidence				News	Sports
(7)	Life Goes On	Videos	Sammy Davis Jr.'s 60th Anniversary Celebration						Crime Stop	
(8)	Austin City Limits	Nature			Masterpiece Theatre	Mystery!			"Decameron Nights"	
(9)	Milestones	Milestones	Cardiology	Int'l Med.	OB/Gyn.	Family	Orthoped.	Int'l Med.	Prescribing Information	
(10)	American Sports Cavalcade	NHRA	Racing	Bill Dance	Outdoor	Bassmaster	Speed	Truckin'		
(11)	60 Minutes	Murder, She Wrote			Tony Awards				Crazy/Fox	
(12)	Sports	Speedway Sunday					Sports	Sports	Belmont	Speedway
(13)	News	PrimeNews			Week in Review		CNN News		Business	Sports
(14)	Movie: "SpaceCamp"				Movie: "Talk Radio"				"Ghosts of the Past"	
(15)	Minor League Baseball: Nashville at Pawtucket				PGA Golf: Dunhill British Masters				Tennis	
(16)	Baseball	Baseball	Major League Baseball: Minnesota Twins at Chicago White Sox						SportsCenter	
(17)	Movie: "Forbidden Planet"				National Geographic Explorer				Future	Weight
(18)	Score Card Cont'd				Score Card				Final Score	
(19)	In. Gadget	Looney Tunes	My 3 Sons	Gr. Acres	On the TV				Sat. Night	Laugh-In
(20)	Equalizer		Movie: "Apology"						Crime Story	Miami Vice
(21)	Unknown War	Crack Doctors			All Creatures				Royal Concert	Caroline's Comedy Hour
(22)	Movie: "Poltgeist III"				Movie: "Star Trek V: The Final Frontier"				Movie: "Say Anything"	Yank-RAF
(23)	Movie: "Help!"				Achlevers	Sinatra			Movie: "Niagara"	
(24)	Movie: "Battle Cry"				Jack Benny	News	Golf Show		Paid Program	
(25)	More American Graffiti				Movie: "Brighton Beach Memoirs"				News	Monsters

MONDAY EVENING JUNE 4, 1990										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox					Hogan	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere	
(4)	Rendezvous	Monitor	AC Clarke	Terra X	Safari			America Coast to Coast	Challenge	
(5)	Scarecrow-King		Movie: "The Tin Star"				700 Club		Scarecrow-King	
(6)	Cosby	Major League Baseball: Yankees at Red Sox						Those She Left Behind	News	Carson
(7)	Cur. Affair	Boss?	MacGyver		Movie: "Her Secret Life"				News	Nightline
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Skyscraper			Stalin		U.S.S.R. Art		McLaughlin	1 on 1
(9)	Moonlighting	Hotel			Movie: "Single Bars, Single Women"				Spenser: For Hire	
(10)	Music Row Video	Gospel	Preview		TNN Music City News Country Awards				Post-Awds	On Stage
(11)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Major Dad	Sydney	Murphy B.	Design. W.	Newhart	D. Thomas	News	Wiseguy
(12)	Sports	Sports Writers on TV			Pro Boxing Tour				Sports	Belmont
(13)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews		Larry King Live				Moneyline	Sports
(14)	"Bandalero!" Cont'd				Movie: "Absolution"				Movie: "The January Man"	
(15)	Golf: Crosby Celebrity Tournament								Pro Beach Volleyball	
(16)	SportsCenter				College Baseball: NCAA World Series				Baseball	SportsCtr.
(17)	Jeffersons	Sanford	Movie: "To Have and Have Not"		Griffith				Major League Baseball	
(18)	Marketw.	Entrepr.	Focus	Insiders	Business Tonight				Fin. Future	Entrepr.
(19)	Dennis	Looney	Dobie Gillis	Bewitched	Gr. Acres	Donna R.	Sat. Night	Fernwood	Laugh-In	Patty Duke
(20)	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote		Prime Time Wrestling				Miami Vice	
(21)	Wilderness	Survival	Kingdom of the Sun	Miss Marple		Peter Wimsey			Glynn Turman	
(22)	"Twins"	Babar	Movie: "Blig"						Prevent a Heart Attack	Movie: "Pet Sematary"
(23)	"Superman II" Cont'd				Movie: "The Longest Day"					
(24)	Cosby	Kate & Allie	It Takes a Thief		Run for Your Life				50 Years	Comedy
(25)	Abbott	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates							News	USA Ton.

TUESDAY EVENING JUNE 5, 1990										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Movie: "The Tenth Man"				Hogan	Hogan	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere
(4)	Rendezvous	Monitor	Wolf - Reluctant Villain		Beyond 2000		Nature	H. Butler	American Album	
(5)	Scarecrow, King		Movie: "Blue"				700 Club	Scarecrow, King		
6	Cosby	Night Court	Matlock	In the Heat of the Night			Midnight Caller		News	Tonight
8	Cur. Affair	Boss?	Boss?	Wonder Y.	Roseanne	Coach	thirtysomething		News	Nightline
10	MacNeil/Lehrer		Nova		Frontline	Living the Last Days			A Very Peculiar Practice	
(11)	Moonlighting		Hotel		Movie: "The Great Santini"				Famous	
(12)	Music Row Video		Church St.	On Stage	Nashville Now			Crook	Big Valley	Jamboree
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Rescue 911		NBA Basketball Playoffs: Championship Finals				News	
(14)	Sports	Olympic Sports Series:	Gymnastics and Volleyball - U.S.A. vs. Italy				Sports		Sports	Olympics
(17)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews		Larry King Live		CNN News		Moneyline	Sports
(18E)	"Cleopatra"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Rainbow"				Movie: "Tequila Sunrise"			
20G	Red Sox	Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox						Aussie Football		
(21H)	SportsCtr.	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						Major League Baseball: Teams TBA		
(22H)	Jeffersons	Sanford	Movie: "Harper"				Major League Baseball			
(23J)	Marketr.	Entrepr.	Focus	Insiders	Business Tonight		Focus	Insiders	Fin. Future	Entrepr.
(24H)	Dennis	Looney	Dobie Gillis	Bewitched	Gr. Acres	Donna R.	Sat. Night	Fernwood	Laugh-In	Patty Duke
28M	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote		Boxing: Lupe Gutierrez vs. Myron Taylor				Miami Vice	
(27N)	Wilderness	Survival	Biography		Movie: "The Outlaw"					Improv
(29N)	Breakin 2	Encyc. B.	Movie: "Ghostbusters II"				Crypt Tales	Comedy Hour: Carlin	Imagine	
(31R)	Willy Wonka		Goofy's Salute to Father: Movie: "The Lady From Shanghai"				News	Ozzie	Mother	
(32S)	Cosby	Major League Baseball: Montreal Expos at New York Mets					Achewers		Comedy	
(34U)	Abbott	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates					News		USA Ton.	Hill Street

Community Calendar

Thursday, May 31: SAD #44 Budget Meeting, Telstar Regional High School, 7:30 p.m.
 Saturday, June 2: Bethel Bike Day, Bethel Common, 9 a.m.-noon.
 Car Wash, SAD #44 Bus Garage, sponsored by Project D.A.R.E., 9 a.m.-noon.
 Windy Valleys Lawn Sale, Newry Corner, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
 Plant Sale, Bethel Library, 10 a.m.-noon.
 Public Dance, West Paris Grange Hall, 8 p.m.
 Bethel Area Garden Club, Ginger Kelly's home, 10:30 p.m. Call 824-2465 for more information.
 Sunday, June 3: Maine Street '90 Community Day, Newry, 12 noon. Family activities are planned.
 Draft Animal Fair, Oxford County Fairgrounds, Oxford, 10 a.m.
 Monday, June 4: Telstar Drama Club presents "Baby" at Telstar Regional High School Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.
 Public Dance, West Paris Grange Hall, 8 p.m.

Andover Library Hours: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1:00-4:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.
 Bethel Library Hours: Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m.; 6-8 p.m.; Thursday, 1-5 p.m.; pre-school story hour, 10-11 a.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Betsy Raymond, Librarian.
 Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Friday, 1-5 p.m.
 Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: hours: Tuesday-Friday, 10-4; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9. Telephone: 743-2880.
 West Paris Library, West Paris: hours: Monday, 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.
 REACH - Sexual Abuse Helpline, 743-9777. Serving victims of sexual abuse—past or present. 24 hour service in Oxford County.
 AA Meetings at Bethel Fire Station: Sunday-6:30 p.m., Big Book: Tuesday-7:30 p.m., Women's Discussion: Friday-7:30 p.m., Step 12-12.
 First Wednesday of Each Month: Purty Chapter #102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.
 Sons of American Legion, 7:30 p.m., Jackson-Silver Post #68, American Legion, Locke Mills.
 Every Thursday: Game Party at Mundt-Allen Post #81, Vernon Street, Bethel, 6:30 p.m.
 First Thursday of Each Month: Upton Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.



TINY BUBBLES GROUP—Barbara Gasser's Stage One Studio of Dance will hold a dance demonstration on Sunday, June 3 at 2 p.m. at Telstar Auditorium. Pictured are Gasser's Tiny Bubbles Group of dancers, from left, Cassie Mason, Caroline Raymond, Lauren Hansen, Amanda Driscoll, Sarah Gamble and Kate Caddigan.

Stage One to present dance demonstration

Students of Stage One Studio of Dance will perform a demonstration of dances on Sunday, June 3 at 2 p.m. at Telstar Auditorium in Bethel.
 Dancers, under the direction of Barbara Gasser, will perform tap, ballet, and jazz routines from famous Broadway show tunes.

The public is invited and tickets can be purchased at the door. Adults \$4, children 13 and under \$2.
 Gasser has danced with the famed Radio City Music Hall "Rockettes" for six years. She went on to do a Broadway Show and television work, working with celebrities Mary Martin, Johnny Mathis, and Liberace.
 More recently, Gasser has been involved in community theater groups here in Maine, choreographing and teaching dance in productions: "The Fantasticks," "Oklahoma," "Carousel" and "Funny Girl."

She is an active member of the "Rockette Alumni" and frequently performs in the Boston area.

SAD #44 Adult Education to graduate 19 students

The SAD #44 Adult and Community Education program will hold Graduation Ceremonies on Monday, June 4, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bethel Inn Conference Center. The public is invited to attend.
 The Class of 1990 consists of 19 graduates who have earned high school credentials in the past year.
 The 1990 graduates are Tim Angewine, Bethel; Robert Bates, Bethel; Lennie Bishop, Bethel; Clyde Brooks, Bethel; Travis Buck, Greenwood; Robert Corriveau, Gilead; Darren Cross, Greenwood; Doreen Dyke, Bethel; Michael Gilbert, South Paris; Tina Hanson, Upton; Lisa Jodrey, Andover; Angela Martin, Bryant Pond; Larry Roderick, Newry; Peter Roshto, Newry; Peter Scotti, Andover; Richard Sprague, Greenwood; Leslie Thurston, Bethel; Toby Walker, Bethel; and Tammy Ward, Bethel.

The Graduation Speaker will be Clayton Blood, Chief GED Administrator for the State of Maine with the Department of Educational and Cultural Services.
 His talk will include an announcement of Operation Opportunity, a scholarship program for GED and Adult Diploma graduates, which will assist adults in making the transition to post-secondary programs.

proximately 40 minutes.
 The cast for "Baby" is: Baby, Terri-Ann Applin; Coach, Haley Blake; Timekeeper, Angela Applin; Doctor, Jenny Cooley; Mommy, Rebecca Hanscom; Daddy, Ryan Bernas; Grandma, Tammi Brackett; Grandpa, Dustin Howe; Auntie, Jolana Rotford; Unc, Jeremiah Bolen; Babysitter, Casey Swan; Boyfriend, Greg Corrin. Lightline, Mathew Boan; set design, Jessica Fogg; set production, Heidi Moore, Jessica Fogg, Jeremiah Bolen; program design and production, Jeremiah Bolen; stage manager, Erica Such; drama advisor, Russell Tornrose.
 Special thanks to Miss Carson and Mrs. Higgins for their advice and assistance during rehearsals.

Bottle drive to help WES 6th graders pay for trip to Cape Cod

The Woodstock Sixth Grade class is sponsoring a bottle drive Saturday, June 2, from 9 a.m. to noon at the Woodstock Elementary School.
 Students will collect in the Locke Mills, Bryant Pond, Woodstock and West Paris areas. If you aren't planning to be home, please bring your returnable bottles to the school.

The class is raising money for an end of the year educational trip to the Outer Reach at the end of Cape Cod. The environmentally organized trip includes a whale watch and environmental tours at Cape Cod National Seashore.

The Woodstock students are traveling with the Andover Sixth Grade for the two-day excursion.
 The students have already raised \$900 toward the trip with a series of bottle drives and a food sale and a 50/50 raffle. They need \$200 more for the trip. Any donations would be appreciated and may be sent to their teacher, Chris Szente, in care of WES.

West Bethel Church to present Joy Quartet

The Joy Quartet from Pensacola Christian College will present a program of sacred music on June 13 at 7 p.m. at Pleasant Valley Bible Church in West Bethel.

The ensemble consists of four young people, a piano accompanist, and a college representative. The program will feature sacred music, and speech and multimedia presentations about the College.
 There is no admission charge for this program.

Telstar Drama Club to perform 'Baby'

The Telstar Drama Club invites the public to attend an evening performance of the one-act play "Baby," by Conrad Davidson.
 This play takes a lighthearted look at parenting from the baby's point of view. It will be performed one time only on Monday, June 4. The performance begins at 7:30 p.m. in the Telstar auditorium. Admission is free, although donations will be accepted. The play runs for approximately 40 minutes.

Final Gould pickin' party a success

The final Gould pickin' party was a success. Musicians gathered at Bingham Hall May 20 to share joyous melodies.
 Those present were: Billy Stowell, Beth Revels, Kathy Slack, John Howe, Rocky Graham and Jim Goodbody.
 The next series of jams will begin again in June at the Suds, Thursday nights from 9 p.m. until closing time. Local and area performers are welcomed to come down and demonstrate their talents.

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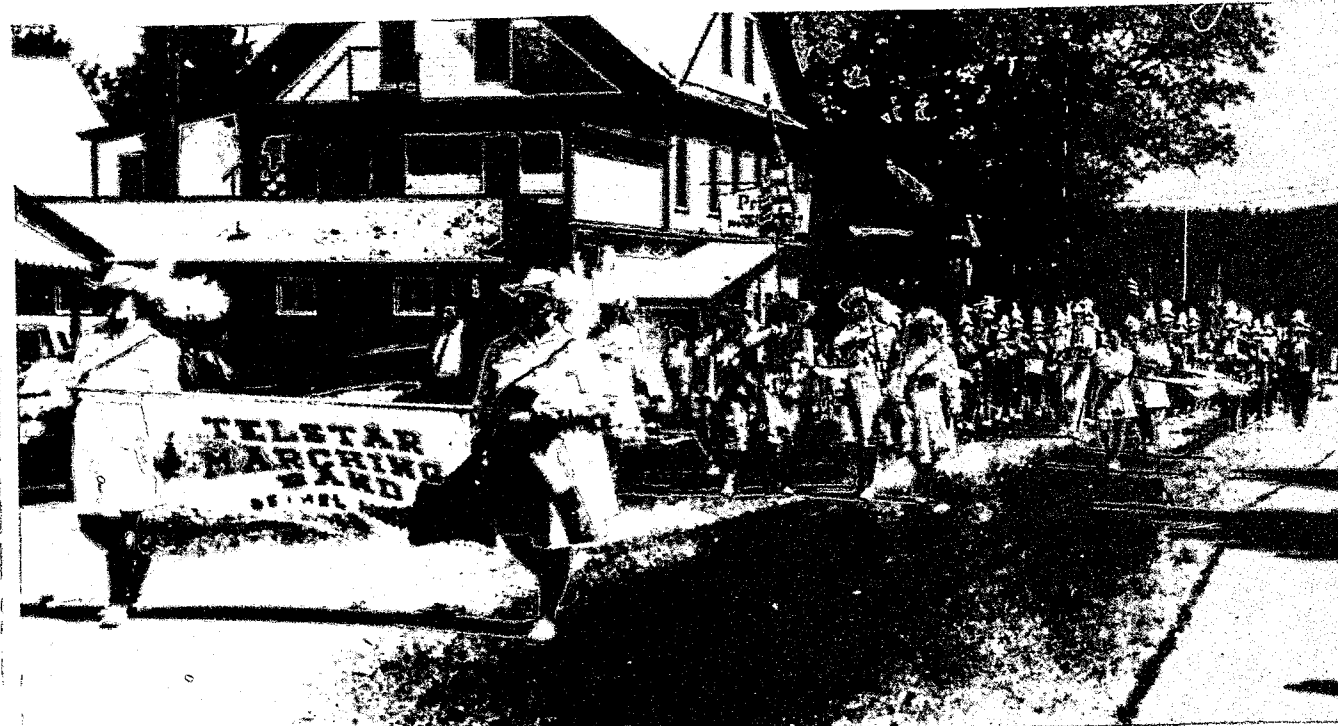
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PARADE REST—Telstar Music Director Harry Davis bows his head in prayer during the memorial service Monday on Bethel Common. At left is Telstar Drum Major Wally Smith.



THE TELSTAR MARCHING BAND marches up Main Street in Bethel. The Bethel Memorial Day parade was the third parade of the day for the band, which had earlier been to Woodstock and Greenwood. Band members finished their day with a 3 p.m. parade in Andover.

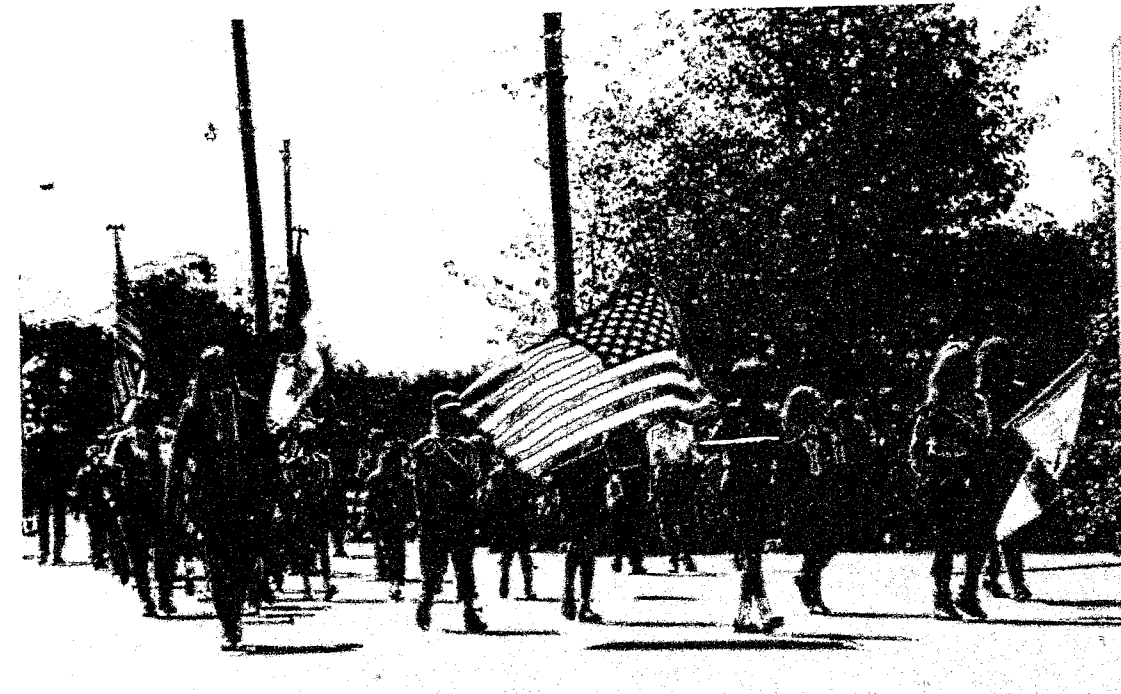
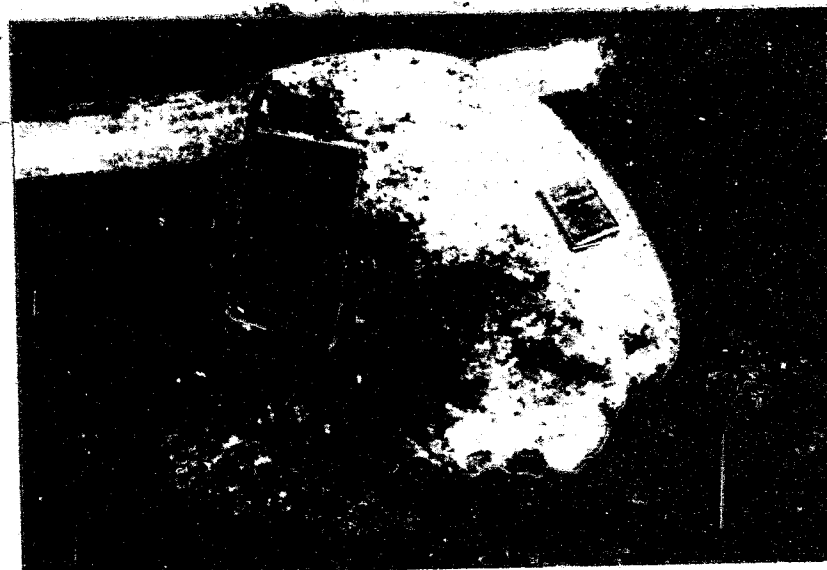


WREATHS IN THE WATER at the bridge in West Paris commemorate townspeople who have served their country in wartime.

Memorial Day 1990



NEWRY TOWNSPEOPLE turned out Sunday to commemorate new plaques honoring town residents who served their country during the Korean and Vietnam conflicts. The plaques are mounted on the Veterans' Memorial Rock in front of the town's municipal building. The honor guard was provided by the Jackson-Silver American Legion Post # 68.



GIRL SCOUTS AND BOY SCOUTS swelled the ranks of Locke Mills' Memorial Day parade, along with the Telstar High School marching band.



BRYANT POND PARADE—Monday's Memorial Day parade in Bryant Pond drew a fine crowd of parade watchers and many marchers.

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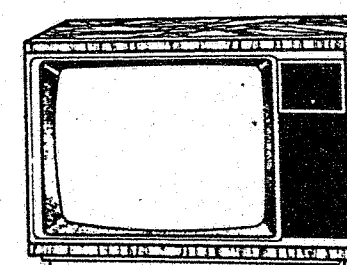
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Jackson-Silver Post 68

Members of the Jackson-Silver Post, 68 American Legion met at their Hall on the Gore Road, Thursday, May 17, at 7 p.m. The meeting opened with prayer by the Chaplain, Rodney Hanscom, followed by the flag salute and repeating of the American Legion Preamble.

Reports of the various officers and special committees were given.

Comrade Frank York, who was Post Commander last year was formerly installed as second Vice commander at this meeting.

A new member, Delwin Wilson, Jr. was voted into membership and a former member, Robert Emmons was re-instated into active membership.

The Post also presented two of the members of the Post Auxiliary with honorary plaques for long and faithful service to the Post.

The members were, Leah Deegan and Vera Cross. The plaques will be formal presented at the coming Memorial Day celebration.

A letter of thanks for cards and monetary gifts was read from Comrade Cleveland Lovejoy. He was present to further give thanks in person, having recuperated from an operation in the Northern Cumberland Hospital, Bridgton, as reported in this report two weeks ago. Needless to say we were all pleased with the speedy and successful recovery of our fellow Legionnaire.

Matters of business were acted upon as follows:

It was voted to allow the Maine Country Music Association to use the hall for a "Country Sunday." Be watching for the date of this important event.

It was further voted that members of the Post, including the Firing Squad would join the citizens of Newry in the Dedication of a new Veterans Memorial, on Sunday, May 27 at 11 a.m. at the Town Hall. The public is invited to the service. For further information you may call our Post Chaplain, Rodney Hanscom of Bethel.

It was further voted to allow the young people of the Church of the Nazarene to use the facilities on August 25 for a benefit supper.

Names were given for candidates for Boys State to be contacted and formally announced at a later meeting.

The annual Memorial Day Parade by the members of the Post will be at the usual time and place on Monday, Memorial Day. The members of the Telstar Band will be in the parade at Locke Mills and Bryant Pond. The parade will form at the Legion Hall at 9 a.m. and march to the Veterans' Memorial of Greenwood for the usual formal observances. Following this a group from the Post will go to East Bethel for brief informal services there. Then at 1 p.m., members of the Post and the Telstar Band will be in Bryant Pond for the annual Memorial Day Observance there.

The expression "Annual Memorial Day

Observances" may seem rather trite and informal but it is not intended to be. Memorial Day should be a time when every citizen of this great nation should gladly, willingly with fervent devotion, show their undying honor and respect for those who "gave their last full measure of devotion" to keep this country the "land of the free and the brave." We seem to forget so quickly the awful horror and devastation of war. This is the great and overwhelming price we paid for the freedom we now enjoy, but I'm afraid taken too much for granted.

"Memorial Day Observances" is the one time of year that we pay honor and tribute to those who gave their lives for freedom. Not only do we pay respect to those who died in all wars by our presence at the observances but by showing proper respect to the flag of our country when it passes by, as we stand to attention and salute it. Those we honor died for it, is it asking too much to stand and salute it? Could not to do so show disrespect and dishonor to those who died?

Annual Oxford County Girls State Tea held

The annual Oxford County Girls State Tea was held on April 22, from 2-4 p.m. at the Jackson-Silver American Legion Post home in Locke Mills, hosted by the Jackson-Silver Unit.

Tables with white cloths furnished by the Sunday River Skiway were decorated with fresh flowers, courtesy of Hearty Mom's Flower Shop of Locke Mills.

Dainty sandwiches, filled toast cups and savory filled puffs were prepared by the hostesses, while visiting Auxiliary members furnished the sweets. Punch was poured by Mary Lyon, and Olive Risko poured the coffee and tea.

Many of the invited delegates were unable to attend but we were happy to welcome the following girls who are delegates or alternates: Monique Brooks of Bethel and Angie Apple of Mason Township; Mari Howe and Jennifer Felt, Bryant Pond; Becky Hunt, Locke Mills; Stephanie Jack and Valerie Strehlke, Norway; Bethany Estes, Oxford; Judy Stearns, South Paris; Rebecca Litfield, Sumner.

Seated at the head table and introducing those with her was Gabrielle Moore of Rumford Corner, Oxford County Girls State Tea Chairman.

Head table guests were Susan Canwell, newly installed President of Oxford County Council Auxiliary; Annie Beck, Secretary of Oxford County Council Auxiliary; Shirley Williams, Girls State Director; Noreen Russo, Jackson-Silver Unit President; Ann Kezal, President of 2nd District American Legion Auxiliary; Mary Jane Perkins, Girls State Counselor; Myra Stevens, Past President, Department of Maine, and Linda Jack, Norway Unit President, who is also a counselor.

Mrs. Williams gave the girls and their

parents a summary of what Girls State, now being held at Husson College, is about. The program endeavors to teach the rights and responsibilities of good citizenship with a format whereby the participants learn by doing. They are guided through town meetings, running for office at both county and state levels, holding caucuses, primaries, developing party platforms, campaigning and, finally, electing a governor and a legislative body from amongst their peers. Some fortunate delegates then go on to Girls National later in the summer.

Mrs. Stevens, Past Department President in 1984-85, mentioned that when she first became involved with the program there were 90 participants; Mrs. Williams reported that we now have about 500 delegates from all parts of Maine and a staff of 45-50.

Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

In spite of the cold and sunless days the wildflowers are appearing along the roadsides, in the woods and fields.

Let us suppose that our eyes are so keen as to enable us to note the different seeds, which during one summer, seek to secure a foothold in some few square inches of the roadside. A few we would see are jewel-weeds that catapult seeds into the very heart of the little territory.

Silky-tufted seeds from the cracked pods of the milkweed, float downward and take lazy possession of the soil, while heavy rains wash into their immediate vicinity those of the violets from an overhanging stream. The hooked fruit of a stick-tight is brushed from the hair of an animal by branches and deposited on the ground, while a bird passing overhead drops earthward the seed of a partridge berry. These are but a few of the survivors.

I have noticed many flowers already in bloom.

Everyone knows Emerson's; "In May, when sea-winds pierced our solitudes, I found the fresh Rhodora in the woods. . . I have this beautiful branching shrub which grows about three feet tall in my back yard. At this time it is loaded with blossoms. The leaves, which develop after the flowers fade, are narrow and oblong and are finely hairy on the underside.

As I look at it I always think of my hiking pal, Ruth, with whom I traveled so many miles. She often quoted Emerson's poem in full.

If you wander the woodroads or fields, you become familiar with many wildflowers. Going across a slope far away and near at hand they are seen everywhere. I have wandered from bloom to bloom, each giving the impression of having been blown from a tinted glass.

Although summer officially is a month away, I can see summer scenes around me. I walk under trees green with

enveloping foliage. I stride through grass already lush. I linger on a path near the pond. I stop under cherry trees, looking up, and seeing the cream white of their bloom. The wind comes up and a shower of tiny "snow flakes" settle down into my hair and on the ground.

Here we feel a mutual relationship with the land. We merge with it. It owns us, as much as we own it.

May has given us the advantage and retreats of weather which will grow to be more equable in the latter days of our New England spring.

The Hols and I attended the service of Clarence Cummings on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Betts were in Massachusetts to attend services of a relative.

Ruth Hanscom had the Tuesday Club at her home this week.

Dot Betts took six of us to Gray on Thursday where we had lunch and spent the afternoon with Doris Hayes. Sorry I missed Barbara Honkala and Evelyn Tammien who called while I was gone.

David, Mary, Robert, Jenny, Ricky Holt and a friend visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt on Sunday. Rena Curtis called on me Thursday.

I attended the Retired Teachers meeting in Oxford with Lettie Brooks and Olive Davis on Saturday.

Leonas and Fay Holt and I went to see the original playlet given by the first grade class at the Rowe school in Norway in which Mary Holt took part. It was a "welcome to spring."

Bethel Farmer's Market to set up at Gould site

The Bethel Farmer's Market will move its location this year to the Gould Academy campus to better serve the community.

The location will be across from the Fieldhouse on lower Church Street.

Opening day for the Farmer's Market is scheduled for June 30. The market will be open on Saturday's 9 a.m. to noon June 30 through Sept. 29.

Again, the focus of the Farmer's Market will be produce, flowers, baked goods, jams and some agriculturally related crafts.

The Farmer's Market will be meeting on June 7 at Telstar High School to discuss opening day, elect officers, and general business. All members and anyone interested in the Farmer's Market is welcome to attend. The meeting is at 3:30 p.m. in room 106, a Home-Ec room.

At least one vendor will be offering cellulose bread-sized bags, a natural biodegradable bag. The market would like to encourage customers to recycle and return their bags, keeping with the natural organic outlook the market has.

It is possible that the market will be offering canvas tote bags with the Farmer's Market logo on it.

For more information, please call Kate

Slattery, 836-3217, or Frank Wertheim, 743-6329 at the Oxford County Extension Office.

Andover

East Andover By HELEN SALWAY

Another reminder from the Service Circle Club for the birthday calendars. They are canvassing the area until June 9. Dates for the household are \$4 for each calendar, extra dates outside the home are 50 cents each. To just buy a calendar will be \$3. Payment is due at time of order. If you are not contacted, call Dee Dee Field at 392-4232 or Ann Bishop at 392-3023.

Our sympathies go to the family of Bill Crocker on his passing.

Rose Dube is in the Rumford Hospital with pneumonia. She is the aunt of Alex Legault of the brick house.

Heidi Belanger suffered a broken arm and other injuries in an accident a week ago. She is at St. Mary's in Lewiston. Cards only are to be sent to the I.C.U. to cheer her up.

Another reminder for all on the alumni dance. Tickets are \$7 per person. Munchies will be on sale and officers will be checking IDs. At the banquet new officers will be voted in for three positions.

We went to Rumford on business one day this week and encountered a neighbor from Upton and friends from Newry, Hanover and Bethel and spent a few minutes chatting with each.

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

A memorial service was held at St. Pius Church in Errol for Alex LeComte, Saturday, May 19, conducted by Fr. Bellefleur assisted by Dick Pinette. Mr. Pinette gave a beautiful eulogy from a recent experience he shared with Alex.

Alex, at the close, we were all able to say goodbye and God bless you. Present at the service were his widow, Mary, son Richard and Ellie, daughter Marilyn and George Dugan and seven grandchildren; friends from Rhode Island, Berlin, Errol, Upton, Andover and other communities.

Following the service, a delicious catered lunch was served downstairs where the guests could eat and fellowship together. I'm sure if Alex had been there he would have enjoyed it and who knows, maybe he was.

Monday May 21, we were back in winter as the snow swirled heavily, mostly melting as it touched down on the green spring earth. Rain and cold have been delaying planting seeds and strawberry plants, but bugs and sunshine returned Thursday.

A friend in Bethel was cleaning some effects from the Asa Bartlett estate there and realizing they had connections with Upton, sent them to me. I think she did not know we live on the Warrington Bartlett farm north of the Asa Bartlett farm before Asa moved his family to Bethel, nor did she know that one of the notes was written by my grandfather nor that a mention of Bertie referred to my

grandmother. She was called ma'am by most people in her latter years and I'd not heard the nick name Bertie since I was very young. One short letter contained the last line "Mr. Scribner has hung himself it was done day before." Last winter someone told me of Scribners who lived on the Morse farm north of us and from time to time I've heard vague references to a suicide. Perhaps this was the one. All these reminders brought back memories of Alvira, Asa's sister-in-law who was a delightful, unique, tiny old lady. If one can weave the past and the present and sew the fabric with threads of the future, it makes a strong and sturdy garment, warm and cozy.

Ray Bernier is spending the long holiday at home. They are laying a new carpet in their living room.

The Frank Poolers spent a day at camp to clean and spruce up ready for a family gathering over the long weekend.

Margaret Mitchell is spending the weekend in Sebago with her sister, Tilly Grundy and they will be placing flowers and getting together with other family members in the Portland area.

Roland and I celebrated our 49th very quietly, but watch out for the biggy next year.

Ron Jordan is in St. Mary's hospital for a back operation. We are wishing him the best. He is the gentlemen whose woodpile keeps it's many eyes on you as you pass.

We went to Rumford on business one day this week and encountered a neighbor from Upton and friends from Newry, Hanover and Bethel and spent a few minutes chatting with each.

Newry

By GIL SEELEY

The Newry Community Church Ladies Circle held a successful food sale at the IGA on Friday, May 18. We thank everyone who so kindly donated, God bless you all.

A service was held on May 20 at the Newry Community Church. Pastor Rodney Hanscom officiated and his daughter Nancy was at the organ. "Words of Assurance" was the sermon. "With our Lord Jesus Christ, all things are possible." You are assured that if you have Him in your heart and life, you can make it.

The Newry Ladies who went bowling "for fun" at the Oxford Lanes, Rumford were: Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Gil Sealey, Olive Anderson and Sylvia Wight. Rena Powers was a guest.

Karlene was the big winner that day with a score of 308 on the triples and two singles of 108 and 109. All went to lunch and did some shopping.

Karlene and yours truly went up toward Errol one afternoon and saw four moose, all at different locations: one young and one with ears flopping, a big one with a rack, and two others. What a sight!



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Howe announces Bethel campaign coordinators

District 49 Maine House of Representatives candidate Stan Howe has announced his coordinators for the town of Bethel. In the weeks before June 12, they will be busy lining up support.

Sumner Burgess is heading up Howe's effort in Bethel. He and his wife Lois will be focusing particularly on Upper Paradise and Eden Lane. Assisting Burgess and their area of concentration are the following: Louise Lincoln (Lower Paradise-Evergreen-Broad), Carl Hansen (Mason-Crescent), Lynn Boschetti (Main-Philbrook-Clark), Richard and Carole Crandall (Park-Church), Dan and Julie Hart (Chapman-Kilborn-Tyler), Leland Brown (Elm-Railroad-Mechanic-High), Bill and Vicky Myers (Vernon), Rodney and Geraldine Howe (East Bethel), Richard and Jane Hosterman (West Bethel), Debby Barker (Bridge-Riverside-Mayville), Alden Kenney (North Bethel), Clarice Gibson (Northwest Bethel), Jarrod Crockett (South Bethel-Bird-Hill-Handley Hill), Elizabeth Bane (Grove-Hill), and Becky Kendall (Mill Hill/Songso-Route 232-Stream Mill).

"I am pleased to have such a broad range of supporters," Howe said. "They include everyone from a Middle School student to persons in their 70's."

Howe is running for the Republican nomination for the seat being vacated by Rep. Jeff Mills. The district extends from Waterford to Rangeley.

Howe said he would announce his coordinators in the other towns of District 49 next week.



ENGAGED—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fifield of Bryant Pond are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Cynthia Jean to Michael Halacy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Halacy of Milton Plantation. Cindy is a senior at Telstar Regional High School and is employed at the Bethel IGA. Mike is a 1988 graduate of Rumford High School and is employed by Dennis Wilson Trucking Co. of Bethel. No date has been set for the wedding.

So. Woodstock

By OLIVE R. DAVIS

Esther Davis and I were in Lewiston on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews took dinner with their Aunt Olive Davis Sunday. Arthur did several different jobs for her while here which surely was appreciated.

Jim Milon mowed the lawns this weekend which was quite a job because the grass was too tall because of so much rainy weather. It looks so much better now. He also refilled two spots for our gardens which was much appreciated.

Esther Davis attended the Canton High School reunion committee held at West Sumner Monday, May 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goldsmith called on their Aunt Olive Monday evening. Jim Milon with six other Maine officers of the police force attended the National Law Enforcement Service held in Washington, D.C., in front of the capitol.

There were 7,000 from all over the U.S. in attendance. Our Vice-President, Dan Quale was the main speaker for the enforcement officers lost in duty for their country. The Maine group were able to visit the offices of our representatives, senators and others at the capitol. They were gone from Saturday to Thursday.

Lettie Brooks took Colista Morgan and Olive Davis to the Retired Teachers meeting held at the Oxford Legion Home. A bountiful dinner of ham and all the fixings was served by the ladies. The program was opened by music conducted by two speakers, President of the State Teachers Retirement, Perham Amsten spoke on "State Organization" and Grove McLaughlin on "Our Legislative Affairs."

The next meeting will be held on Sept. 15 at the U.C.C. Church at East

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Songo Pond

By ALICE KIMBALL

Saturday Mrs. Christine Kimball went to Norway to meet her daughter, Alberta. Together they attended the second birthday party for a great granddaughter in Denmark.

Sunday Mrs. Marjorie Awalt of Augusta and Barbara of Windsor, Mark and Connie Hindman spent the day with Mrs. Elnora Doyen.

Many thanks to the Gordon boys who helped haul off the leaves and trash from the cemetery. It was much appreciated. Congratulations to Jay and Kevin Davis on their recent graduations from Dartmouth College and Gould Academy and many honors accumulated at these schools.

Mrs. Patty Saunders (formerly) and children of Freeport spent last weekend at her mother's cottage here.

Mrs. Ivy Philbrook has returned to her home here.

Mrs. Connie Hindman was at Stephens Memorial Hospital two days the first of the week for treatment on a toe.

Paul and Robin Poisson and daughter Michelle of Manchester, N.H., were at the Poisson cottage this weekend.

Don and Ruth Feeney were callers here Thursday evening.

Norma and David Salway were in Lewiston Saturday.

When the outlook is dark, try the outlook.

Northwest Bethel

By CLARICE GIBSON

May 25 and we finally are having a beautiful day. The leaves are coming on fast and the violets (white and violet) have spread all over the lawn. The lily of the valley's are in full bud and as they are on both sides of the house the smell is all around. One flowering crab is in full bloom and the others will be right behind.

May 23, Frank and I rode up to Gorham, N.H., and saw how white the mountains were as they had had more snow. Spring is so beautiful with its greens! The wild cherries were also out and every once in awhile would see an old gnarled apple tree which could very well have been planted long ago by some farmer long gone. We did see 11 loons on the way up but on the way back they must have all taken off as not a sign of them left. Can hear the train going by. When I first started coming here we could see it going by, but now the trees are grown up

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and can just remember.

Walter and Carolyn Bond of Pittsfield, N.H., came Mother's Day weekend to Joe and Gerry Shimamura's and visited his sister, Thelma Merrill at Ledgewood Nursing Home, West Paris.

May 20, Ernest and Alberta Angevine went to a housewarming party for his nephew, David, Ellen Holt and son, Sue Angevine, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Agular and Dusty also went.

Mary Beth Hannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hannon, went to Mountain Valley Conference in Farmington for the Top Ten Dinner on May 20.

May 12, Mary Beth Hannon went to the Senior Prom with Corey Duguay.

Matt Laban, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Laban, came home May 22 for the summer from his studies at U of N.H. in Durham, N.H.

Carole Mason went to the reception of Tammy Hanson and Joe Martin at Newry Grange Hall May 19. Carole brought back Kara Lynn Mason and she spent four days with Carole, Charlie and Ruth Mason.

May 20, the Mane Riders went on a trail ride from Dooen's trailer park over Lover's Lane up Mill Hill over Paradise to Vernon Street and back. Lisa Smith took Carole Mason to Dooen's in her horse trailer. Carole rode her quarterhorse Sandy. There were seven riders who went on the trail ride.

Dr. Leonard Shaw and family went to Boston May 17 to celebrate Dr. Shaw's father's 80th birthday with other family members.

Debbie Seames has been home sick a couple of days.

Dawn and Rusty Seames both played in the concert at Telstar on May 23. They are the children of Debbie Seames.

Stanley and Althea Brown went to Oxford on May 20 to visit their daughter, Ann and Pete Dunbar.

Stan Brown is building a deck on Florence Martin's mobile home.

Ada Cummings left the end of April to May 15 to visit her son, Buddy Conner at Crescent Park, West Milford, N.J., and attended the Order of Amaranth. You have to be a relative of a Mason to join.

In 10 years, the Order has given over a million dollars to help diabetics.

Howard, Macki and Nick Chapman went on May 18 to 20 to their camp at Moosehead.

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East Stoneham

By GLADYS KILGORE

Everything looks very lush with so much rain. My hummingbirds seem to love it.

Brenda Files is home for a few days from her work at Papoose Pond.

The Ferris family has moved to Lovell. They had been living at the Otis Cobb place.

My nephew, Paul Taylor and I visited my brother and wife at Ledgewick Sunday afternoon. We also went to Webster Brook Cemetery in Oxford and decorated our grandmother's grave.

David Taylor of Portland and friend visited me Sunday. They did some work for me.

Mrs. Stella Johnson is visiting her mother Sarah Grover for awhile.

Mrs. Hamilton who lives on Butters Hill has gone to Florida to visit relatives for a week.

Mrs. Frances Grant and husband who have been living here, are now moving back to their summer home in Albany.

High Street

By VIVA WHITMAN

More of that drizzle and clouds this morning or at least that is what the weatherman is saying. When will we get the sunshine we need to dry the garden spot out so we can get it rototilled and planted. With this cold weather everything would probably freeze anyway. Don't seem to be much we can do about it even if we would like to.

Got to the doctor's on last Wednesday for my weekly appointment but didn't do too much else that day.

Thursday was the day we got surprised when the phone rang in the evening and Peggy was calling to say she and Tom were home from their trip from Colorado. Didn't expect them before the weekend but they found some bad weather so didn't linger along the way as much as they would have had they been home better. It is good to have them home again and hope he finds something to his liking so he will be glad he came home to stay.

I went down to Wynona's on Friday to stay and babysit for her while the May Fair was going on at Holy Cross. She is treasurer of the P.T.A. and had to be there to keep track of all the money taken in at different times during the day. Michael went along to help count and add up everything as he is a good guy with numbers. They had volunteers to help in everything and needed them as busy as they were with all the different booths and all.

Peggy said she went to the dance in Fryeburg with some of her friends on Friday evening.

Saturday was a cold, cold day as I can vouch for. I took the girls in the forenoon and went to find Tri Sports as Russell had had a key come and if it fit one of the vehicles on the floor it was to be his but they were garden tractors I believe. Anyway, Tri Sports doesn't carry these items so it was a drive out there for nothing.

On the way back, we stopped off at the May Fair and the girls played some games and then home for lunch and a nap to be ready to go again that evening. There was a dance for children and another for adults. However, the music was so loud and most of the kids so big that Karriann didn't stay at that tent long and was brought down to be with us. It wasn't long before a lady brought Court-

ney down also. They were overwhelmed with all the larger children and their dancing. However, they had a good time down with for an hour or so before the kids and I went home. Wynona and Michael didn't get home until after midnight. It had been a long day for them.

Sunday was another long day for us. Wynona and Michael left the house about eight in the morning and the girls and I went over to the May Fair nearer noon time as they were to do their dance routines at noon in the entertainment tent. I was glad it was a warmer day than Saturday or they would have frozen in their skintight costumes. Everything went off well and after having lunch and playing some games, we went home to rest. I didn't get a chance to sleep as the phone got me up but did rest awhile. Nonie and Mike got home just in time for me to make it home before it got too dark for me to drive. Was I ever tired!

Russell said that Myrna and Bernard White had been up to visit Peggy but she had gone to West Bethel to visit her other daughter, Loretta so missed Myrna and Whitney.

However, Myrna and Whitney appeared to visit her mother on Monday and stayed for lunch with Peggy.

Went to Grange at Bryant Pond in the evening and it was late before we got home so still very tired. We had about 60 people there at supper time but at least three of them went home instead of attending the meeting. It was a good meeting with an excellent program though a little long. The slides were enjoyed by all and probably the only chance many of us will have to see some of the countryside in England and Scotland.

Tuesday was a busy day for me with all I had to do and went to the dentist in Fryeburg in the late afternoon or early evening, whichever one wants to call it. Still feel rather tired this morning as didn't sleep too well last night.

Talked with Mary Lovejoy and she said she came around for the cancer drive on Monday night but found a number gone so didn't do as well as she had hoped.

Monday was a day for Mary and Kathleen Holman to take the remnants of their sale at the Grange Hall on Satur-

day down to the Good Will place. She said that the Salvation Army wouldn't take it and wondered why with all the floods and all that has gone on. Does make one wonder why.

Yesterday, Tuesday, Mary went with the fourth graders of West Paris School on a trip to Augusta where they toured the museum, State House and Blaine House. She said they had a good trip and a good time.

Mary and family will be going to Dover, South Mills and Sebasticus to decorate the cemeteries this coming weekend.

There have been several moose and deer seen around the towns lately. They must be getting more and more plentiful to be seen so much.

Don't forget the dance at West Paris Grange Hall on June 2. Dick Felt and Company will provide the music for a good time for all who attend.

Hope all of you have a good week ahead and take care.

East Bethel

By NANCY H. MERCER

Reginald Andrews returned to his home in Halifax, Nova Scotia, last week. Dori Hallman visited the Harrington homestead on May 13 with her two daughters.

On May 20 the East Bethel Church group held its annual meeting with seven members present.

Amy Tambolin, of Yarmouth, visited Barbara Honkala this past week and stayed at the Hastings homestead. Mr. and Mrs. George Gamble visited the Hastings on May 24 for Bob's 91st birthday. Ellen Hastings visited for one night from Burlington, Vt.

George, Barbara and Mrs. Ruth Bethel were at Shelburne, N.H., on May 19 to watch a sheep shearing. They had never seen this before and enjoyed it very much. They ate at the Yokahama on the way back home.

Beverly Haines was in the hospital from Sunday, May 20, to Wednesday. She is feeling much better.

Finally sunshine. Maybe we will have some nice warm sunny days now.

North Paris

By DORIS C. LAWRENCE

Friday, May 18, Lois Ellingwood and I went with Joan Young to the Norway Legion Hall to the dance for cancer. There was a good crowd with music by the Parisians.

Friday, May 18, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher arrived home from Nova Scotia where they had been visiting for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Spenser had for company over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. James Niemaszky, Sarah and Steven, from New Hampshire.

June 5, West Paris Senior Citizens will meet at the Mission Congregational Church for a potluck dinner. Please bring your utensils. The seniors will decide what they want to do about trips during the months of July and August.

Symphony is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Penley, Jr. and family on the death of her father, Clarence "Bud" Cummings.

Tuesday, May 22, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher were in Massachusetts.

Galters have been Sherry Thayer and Jason, who stayed with me a few hours; Joe Vatcher, Howard Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott, and Dot Canwell. Jeanne Millett drove me to Dr. Mason's in Lewiston, May 24.

This week has been a busy week. Monday, May 21, I went to Buckfield Cemetery. Tuesday, May 22, I went to Rumford Cemetery and called on Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott and Ruth Giltay, in Milton and Bryant Pond. Ruby Wing wasn't home. Visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Felt, ran into really pouring rain.

Topsham on Tuesday.

Elizabeth Sennett was an overnight guest of Lila Farrington at Swain Brook Apartments in Rumford.

Gertrude Hutchins was in Lewiston for a doctor appointment on Tuesday.

Thought for the day: The haunts of happiness are varied, but I have more often found her among little children, home, firesides and country houses than anywhere else.

Calvary Congregational Church June 3, 9:30 a.m., Morning worship Jr. Church at the same time. Please be careful and enjoy the summer. Also during the summer months there will be a coffee hour following the service.

Rev. Donald Grover's message: "What are we waiting for?" I Thess. 1:10, for the coming of Jesus Christ from Heaven. If ye love me, keep my commandments. The choir sang: "My hope is in thee." Missionary moments: letter read from Dick Dorr, president of Gospel Missionary Union. All those wanting to help on "Project Graduation" call Sandra Clement, 392-3141.

"A watching world is attracted by the life filled with the presence of our Lord." Sunday evening, 7 p.m., a film was shown, "Cry from the Mountain."

Materials are being collected for V.B.S. for the latter part of July.

West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Bacon were in Fairfax, Vt., for the weekend at the home of their daughter and family, Kathy and Bob Bessette, Emily, Marc and Timothy. They attended granddaughter Emily's first communion.

Ann Proctor and Ivan, Jr. were in Stratton this past weekend.

Sid and Cynthia Scott and grandson Zack were in Stratton at their camp over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren and Alma Hyam of Peabody, Mass., and Ralph Dow of Lady Lake, Fla., were guests of Phil and Virginia Hyam on Monday and Tuesday.

Much sympathy is extended to Albert Jackson upon the death of his wife Beatrice.

At Andover...

Elderwood Manor Items by Florence Hall

Joyce Roy, of Rumford, called on Florence Hall on Wednesday.

Rachel Badaeu, of Rhode Island, and daughter were weekend guests of grandmother, Flora Whitten.

Anne Fox, Dorothy Campbell and Rev. Churchill called on Fred Greenlow in

Bethel

By VIRGINIA WALKER

Charles and Caroline Merrill, Sandra Gunther, all of Bethel; Chester and Carolyn Osgood, Waterford; Janet Sellgren, Bedford, N.H.; Lori and Olamie Wheaton, Fryeburg; Phyllis Dickey, Augusta, are spending several days on a fishing trip to Moosehead Lake, Oquossoc.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker were in Brownfield last Thursday to meet Mrs. Walker's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Poore of Rochester, N.H., at the Brownfield Cemetery.

Mrs. Muriel Faudi's daughter Stephanie and two girls spent the holiday weekend with her at Sudbury Village.

Phyllis Dock recently visited her son and family, the Rogers Dock's, in Glassboro, Conn., where her grandson, James, was one of 21 young people to receive confirmation in the First Church of Christ Congregational. On her return home she stayed with her sister, Kathryn Hamlin, in Longmeadow, Mass., who is a surgical patient at the Mercy Hospital, Springfield, Mass.

Memorial weekend guests of the Norman Dock family included Gretchen Dock and Ann Robbins, of Newton, Mass.

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1989 REGAL LTD	\$12995.	1988 MERCURY TRACER	\$145	1989 CAMARO IROC-Z28	\$310	1988 BRONCO II XL 4x4	\$245
1989 CUTLASS SUPREME	\$12295.	1987 TOYOTA COROLLA	\$159	1989 TOYOTA SUPRA	\$430	1988 GRAND WAGONER	\$272
1989 CALAIS SL	\$10995.	1988 SABLE GS	\$228	1989 TOYOTA TACOMA	\$240	1988 FORD RANGER	\$230
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1989 CORSICA	\$9995.	1987 JEEP CHEROKEE 4x4	\$310	1989 TOYOTA TACOMA	\$240	1988 FORD RANGER	\$230
1985 PONTIAC 6000 LE	\$5695.	1987 CHEROKEE 4x4	\$369	1989 TOYOTA TACOMA	\$240	1988 FORD RANGER	\$230
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ALBANY
Congregational Church
 Hunt's Corner Road
 Rev. Norman F. Rust, Minister
 Phone: 583-4858
 Sunday: Worship service 10 a.m., June-Sept.
 Church Suppers: 2nd & 4th Thurs., July & August.

ANDOVER
First Congregational Church
 United Church of Christ
 Rev. E. Marjorie Churchill
 Phone: Church 822-4678; Parsonage 332-3081
 Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship Service and Sunday School; 5 p.m. Youth Group
 Wednesday: 7 p.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
 Thursday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
Calvary Congregational Church
 South Andover
 Rev. Donald Grover Sr.
 392-1121
 Sunday: Sunday School, all ages, 9:30-10:30 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 10:45-12; Evening Service, 7 p.m.
 Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
 Friday: Youth group, 6 p.m.

BETHEL
Bethel United Methodist Church
 Main Street
 Rev. Lisa Vanderheide
 Tel. 824-2010
 Sunday: 9 a.m. Church School; 10:30 a.m. Worship Service. Nursery care provided.
West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ
 Church Street
 Rev. Brenda Bass and Rev. Jean Bass
 Co-Pastors
 Sunday: Worship Service and Church School, 10:30 a.m. Nursery care provided.
 Clothing Depot: Call 824-2553 or 824-2193 for assistance.
Bethel Gospel Center
 of Christian & Missionary Alliance
 Rt. 26
 Nathan B. Seckinger, Pastor
 Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m. (5-year-olds through adults); Baby-sitting for all children under 5 years during Church. Morning Worship, 10 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: Prayer and Bible study, 7 p.m.
Church of the Nazarene
 Church Street
 John Clayton, Pastor
 Tel. 824-3020
 Sunday: Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.
Our Lady of the Snows
 Catholic Church
 Rt. 26
 Rev. Albert B. Colpitts
 Sunday, 4:30 p.m. Antiphonal Mass
 Pleasant Valley Bible Church
 Flat Road, West Bethel
 Ron Provencher, Pastor
 824-2525
 Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m. Ages 2 to adult. Morning Worship, 10 a.m. Nursery for children through ages 5. Children's church and junior church ages 3 through Grade 5.
 Wednesday: Prayer and Bible study, 6:30.
 Friday: Awana Club.

West Bethel Union Church
 Route 2
 Phone: Church 824-2925
 Sunday: Morning Worship and Church School, 9:15 a.m. Nursery provided for pre-school children.
 2nd Wednesday: Ladies' Chapel Aid, 7:30.
BERLIN, N.H.
First Church of Christ, Scientist
 Corner of Main & Tenth Streets
 Sunday: Morning Services and Sunday School, 11 a.m. (for pupils up to the age of 20 years.)
 Wednesday: Evening Meeting, 7:45, including testimonies of healing.
Orthodox Church of the Holy Resurrection
 20 Petrograd Street
 Fr. Joseph Letendre, Pastor
 Tel. 824-2524
 Saturday: Great Vespers, 7 p.m.
 Sunday: Divine Liturgy, 9 a.m.
 3rd Sunday of the month: Church School, 3 p.m.

BRYANT POND
Baptist Church
 Route 26
 Linwood Hanson, Pastor
 Sunday: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.
 Thursday: Awana Clubs

WOODSTOCK SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
 Perkins Valley Road, Bryant Pond
 Pastor Michael Galsam
 Phone: 743-6999 (home), 674-3232 (church)
 Saturday: Sabbath School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.
 Tuesday: Prayer Circle, 12:30 p.m.; Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m. (children's program provided).
 Wednesday: Fellowship Club Meeting, 6 p.m. (ages 10 and up)

Church of the Open Door
 Rt. 232
 Pastor Eddie Gammon
 655-2021
 Sunday Services: 10:30 a.m., at the North Woodstock Meeting House.
 Wednesday: Bible Study and Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m., in area homes.

LOCKE MILLS
Locke Mills Union Church
 Pastor: Rev. Genevieve Heywood
 Sunday: Morning Worship and Church School, 9 a.m.

NEWRY
Newry Community Church
 Rodney Hanson, Pastor
 Sunday: Morning Worship, 9 a.m. with special service for children.

OXFORD HILLS
 St. Catherine of Siena
 29 Paris St., Norway
 Rev. Albert B. Colpitts
 Antiphonal Mass, Saturday, 4:30 p.m. & 7 p.m.
 Sunday Masses, 8:45 and 11:00 a.m.
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)
 Ripley House, 62 High Street, So. Paris. Families welcome. Contact Arla Patch, 655-2224
Oxford Hills Assembly of God
 Coldwater Brook Road, Oxford
 Pastor Glyn Davies, 743-2609
 Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
 Wednesday, 7 p.m., Bible Study.

Christian Science Society, Norway
 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
 Sunday: Services and Sunday School, 10 a.m.
 Wednesday: Evening meeting, 7:30 p.m. includes testimonies of healing.
 Reading Room: Tuesday, 1 to 4 p.m., and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Trinity Lutheran Church
 Rt. 117, South Paris
 Rev. John Matzke, Pastor
 Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:15 a.m.

RUMFORD
Praise Assembly of God
 East Andover Rd., Rumford Center
 Rev. Robert Ratville
 824-2558
 Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 a.m. Worship Service; 5:30 p.m., Evening Service.
 Wednesday: 7 p.m., Fellowship.
Rumford World Outreach
 325 York St., Rumford
 Pastor Bob Dalby
 824-2570
 Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday School (Sunday School bus); 10 a.m. Worship Service.
 Wednesday: 7 p.m. Evening Service
 Friday: 7 p.m. Rumford Christian Academy, K-12; Grace Bible School.

Rumford Point Congregational UCC
 Rev. Genevieve Heywood
 Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

WEST PARIS
West Paris Baptist Church
 Rev. Jonathan Haslett, Pastor
 Tel. 674-2920
 Sunday: Worship Service, 9 a.m. (nursery care for pre-schoolers); Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Joint service at the North Paris Federated Church.
 Tuesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.
West Paris First Universalist Church
 Rev. Don Rollins, Ministerial Intern
 Tel. 674-2944
 Sunday: Worship Service, 10 a.m.

North Paris Federated Church
 Rev. Jonathan Haslett, Pastor
 Sunday: Family Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise Service, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.
 Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study at the home of Ruth and Harry Perkins; John Callins, teacher.
 Thursday: 1 p.m. Hour of Power Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.

REGINALD V. BELISLE
 Reginald V. Belisle, 78, of Avon, N.Y., brother of a Bethel man, died Monday, May 21, 1990 at Noyes Hospital after a long illness.
 He was born in Percy, N.H., Feb. 8, 1912, the son of Emile and Anne O'Connor Belisle. He had retired from Fedders Corp. Air Conditioning Plant in Buffalo, N.Y. He was a member of St. Annes Church.

Survivors include a sister, Anne Natress of Auburn; and two brothers, Francis of Bethel, and Raymond of Williamsville, N.Y.

CLARENCE H. CONROY
 Clarence H. Conroy, 90, died Wednesday, May 23, 1990 at the Ledgewood Nursing Home in West Paris, where he had been a patient for about two months.

He was born at Cambridge, Mass., July 12, 1899, the son of Thomas Clarence and Margaret Elizabeth MacLeod Conroy. He was educated in Cambridge area schools and was the founder of Colonial Paper Co.
 Mr. Conroy was a member of the Pequotsette Lodge, AF and AM, of Waterbury, Mass. He was in the U.S. Navy from 1918-21 and lived in Bethel for two years, coming from Exeter, N.H. He married Anne Bowden. She died in 1984.

Surviving are four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Mr. Conroy was predeceased by a daughter, Helen C. Berry, in June 1989.

WILLIAM CROOKER SR.
 William Crooker Sr., 86, died Tuesday, May 22, 1990 upon arrival at Rumford Community Hospital. He resided in East Andover, and had lived in the area for most of his life.

He was born in Hyde Park, Mass., March 27, 1904, the son of Calvin and Marie (Jank) Crooker. He was a graduate of Andover High School, and was a self-employed carpenter in the Andover area for many years. He was also employed by Samuel Poor Farms in Andover, and employed by COMSAT prior to his retirement.

Mr. Crooker was married in Rumford, July 27, 1930, to the late Myra Glover. He was a member of the King Hiram Lodge 180, South Portland; Strathgals Commandery 21, Rumford; and the Royal Arch Chapter of Rumford. He was also a member of the Andover Congregational Church, and the Crooker Room at the church was named after him.

He is survived by a son, William Jr. of Livermore Falls; a daughter, Mrs. David (Phyllene) Chaisson of Cambridge, Mass.; a brother, George Crooker of East Andover; three sisters, Mrs. Elanthe Schneider of East Andover, Mrs. Pauline Colby of Pittsfield, N.H., and Mrs. Roy (Louise) Leach of Arthurette, New Brunswick; eight grandchildren and five great-grandsons.

DAVID I. SHAW
 David I. Shaw, 89, of West Paris, died early Monday, May 28, 1990, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where he had been a patient one week.
 Born in Everett, Mass., Sept. 21, 1900, he was the son of Ord D. and Ella May Peavey Shaw. He was educated in Lancaster, Mass. schools and was a graduate of South Lancaster Academy and Atlantic Union College.
 On June 4, 1923, he married Blanche E. Maguire. Mrs. Shaw died Dec. 17, 1989.
 Mr. Shaw was a minister and began preaching in the 1920s. He was a conference missionary volunteer official. Mr. Shaw was pastor of the South Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church for many years, retiring in 1972. He also was a teacher at the Forestdale School, South Woodstock, for 18 years. After retirement, he continued to hold services for the residents of the Ledgewood Nursing Home, conducting the last one on May 18.

He was a member of the South Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church and a member of the Ledgewood Nursing Home, West Paris. A lodge at Camp Lawroweld was named in his honor for his years of service to the camp.

Survivors include a daughter, Marilyn Eddy of New York, Del.; a sister, Mrs. Julia Nichols of West Paris; three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

JOHN S. GREENLEAF
 John S. Greenleaf, 64, of Bethel, died Monday afternoon, May 28, 1990, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where he had been a patient the past two weeks.

Born in Manistiquet, Mich., June 14, 1905, he was the son of Andrew Jackson and Harriet McGee Witter. He attended the elementary schools in Manistiquet. He was married to Thelma Heath, who died in the late 1950s. Mr. Witter had worked as a pipefitter for Local 277 of Portland until his retirement in the early 1970s.

Survivors include three brothers, Edward Witter of Houston, Texas; Ferroll Witter of Waterford, and Glyn Witter of South Paris; and a sister, Avis Dooen of Bethel. He was predeceased by three brothers, Lester, Vincent and Andrew, and two sisters, Cora and Ruth.

At Witter's request there will be no visiting hours or services.

GEORGE E. LUXTON
 George E. Luxton, 68, died Tuesday, May 22, 1990 at his residence in West Bethel.
 Born at Bethel, July 23, 1921, he was the son of Ernest Luxton and Helen Freeman. He was educated in Bethel area schools and attended Gould Academy.

Mr. Luxton was a heavy equipment operator, worked in wood harvesting, and retired in 1987 from employment with the town of Bethel. He served in the U.S. Marine Corps during World War II. Mr. Luxton lived in Bethel all his life. He married Geraldine Clough on May 11, 1948, who survives.

Other survivors include two sons, David Luxton and Donald Luxton, both of West Bethel; and three grandchildren.

J. ALICE BLAQUIERE
 J. Alice Blaquiere, 94, of Norway, died Thursday, May 24, 1990, at a South Paris nursing home.
 She was born at Sumner, June 3, 1895, the daughter of Albert G. and Vina Cox Hadley. She received her education in Sumner schools and was a homemaker. She was also a shoemaker in the Norway shoe factories. She worked at the South Portland Shipyard during World War II and also drove an ambulance for the Red Cross during World War II.

Mrs. Blaquiere was a member of the Norway Senior Citizens and the American Legion in West Baldwin. She had resided in Norway since 1910, coming here from Sumner. She married Arzene G. Blaquiere on Aug. 1, 1914; he died Nov. 15, 1977.

Surviving are two daughters, Pauline Henderson of Panama, Nev., and Frances Reardon of Lewiston; three sons, Arzene G. Blaquiere Jr. of Portland, Joseph W. Blaquiere of Coventry, R.I., and James E. Blaquiere of Oxford; two sisters, Florence Conant and Mary Flagg, both of West Paris; 29 grandchildren, 46 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by three children, Edith V. Blaquiere, who died in 1938; Tom A. Blaquiere, who died in 1945 while serving in the armed forces during World War II; and Louise Hemmingsway, who died in 1989.

BIRTHS
 Wayne and Mary Field of Greenwood are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Sarah Marie, born on May 15, at 2:03 p.m. at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 9 pounds, 1 ounce. Maternal grandparents are Eino and Marie Kuvaja of Greenwood. Paternal grandparent is Mrs. Althea Field of West Paris.

John S. Greenleaf
 Master Licensed Electrician
 Bethel, Maine

GREENWOOD NOTICE
 The Greenwood Board of Appeals will hold a hearing Thursday, June 7 on a variance appeal for the handicapped access ramp at the town office. The meeting will be held in the town office at 7:00 p.m.

Greenwood Board of Appeals.

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DAVID I. SHAW
 David I. Shaw, 89, of West Paris, died early Monday, May 28, 1990, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where he had been a patient one week.

Born in Everett, Mass., Sept. 21, 1900, he was the son of Ord D. and Ella May Peavey Shaw. He was educated in Lancaster, Mass. schools and was a graduate of South Lancaster Academy and Atlantic Union College.

On June 4, 1923, he married Blanche E. Maguire. Mrs. Shaw died Dec. 17, 1989.

Mr. Shaw was a minister and began preaching in the 1920s. He was a conference missionary volunteer official. Mr. Shaw was pastor of the South Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church for many years, retiring in 1972.

He also was a teacher at the Forestdale School, South Woodstock, for 18 years. After retirement, he continued to hold services for the residents of the Ledgewood Nursing Home, conducting the last one on May 18.

He was a member of the South Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church and a member of the Ledgewood Nursing Home, West Paris. A lodge at Camp Lawroweld was named in his honor for his years of service to the camp.

Survivors include a daughter, Marilyn Eddy of New York, Del.; a sister, Mrs. Julia Nichols of West Paris; three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

JOHN S. GREENLEAF
 Master Licensed Electrician
 Bethel, Maine

GREENWOOD NOTICE
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 is seeking bids for the position of Cemetery Sexton, to work on annual basis doing cemetery management including recordkeeping and groundskeeping. Send bid marked "Sexton Bid" to Andover Town Office, P.O. Box 219, Andover, Maine 04216. Bids will be opened June 6 at 7:00 p.m. Selectmen reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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LORRAINE PFAUDLER
 Interment and graveside service for Lorraine Pfaudler will be held Sunday, June 3, 1990 at 3 p.m. at the Pine Grove Cemetery in West Bethel.

CARD OF THANKS
 The family of Emeline V. Heath would like to express sincere thanks for all the kindnesses, cards, flowers and visits while she was in the hospital and nursing home.

CARD OF THANKS
 The family of C. Clayton Bane wish to express their deep appreciation for the many cards, letters and phone calls we received at the time of our loss. All have meant so much to us. We would also like to thank those who contributed to the Arthritis Foundation in his memory.

CARD OF THANKS
 I am extremely grateful for our 911 telephone number and the Bethel Rescue Squad. The consideration and emotional support were appreciated. Thank you for the speedy and efficient help.

With gratitude,
 Colleen B. Pinette

CARD OF THANKS
 The family of Leo D. Witter would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff of Stephens Memorial Hospital: the nurses, ICU technicians and therapists for the dedicated and professional attention. A special thanks to Dr. Harbage, Dr. Medd and Dr. O'Meara.

Thank you to everyone for all their expressions of kindness in our recent loss.
 Glyn & Carolyn Witter
 Ferroll & Marie Witter
 Edward & Ann Witter
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VACANCY NOTICE
 S.A.D. #44 is accepting applications for the following positions:

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If interested in any of the above, submit letter of application and resume to:
 S.A.D. #44, Superintendent's Office,
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 Bethel, ME 04217
 Deadline for applications is May 30, 1990.

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5 YOUNG CORNISH game chickens, 1 rooster, 4 hens, \$25. Norm Doss, 824-2778. 22-23
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1987 COLEMAN COLUMBIA POP-UP camper. Exc. condition, used only twice, even still smells new! Two burner gas stove, sink, attached awning. Tows with compact car, sleeps 6 if they're well acquainted. \$2,000. Amy Chapman, 875-5511. 22-23
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CAMP TOILET—Humus composting toilet, ideal for camp. Uses electricity, not chemicals. \$350. Also extra-large sky kennel. \$50. 665-2891. 22-23
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HAY FOR SALE. Taking orders for hay out of the field this summer. Victor Coolidge, 824-2701. 22-23
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GREAT PRICES FROM NEW ENGLAND'S number 1 pool company. Family sized 31' swimming pool with deck, fence, filter and warranty. \$890.00! First come, first served. Financing available. Call toll free 1-800-447-1141 (NH) or 617-831-4070. 22-23
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1979 TOYOTA CELICA SUPRA, 5 speed, sunroof, chrome wheels, spoiler & more. Call for details 824-2009. Answering machine. 22-23
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Real Estate

SUNDAY RIVER VIKING VILLAGE, by owner, 5 br. chalet, large eat-in kitchen, 16x20 family room, Walk to lifts. \$128,000. 207-824-2918 or 688-4420. 22-23
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TWO HOUSE LOTS, Bethel area. One with access to pond, both cleared. 207-865-2333 evenings. 19-22
PARADISE ROAD, New home on 2 acres, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 30x30 attached garage. Daylight basement, FVTV heat, town water, sewer, George Nickerson. 207-824-2043. 181
SUNDAY RIVER SKI AREA—2 bedroom North Peak Condo, excellent condition, \$88,000. 617-234-6563 evenings or 617-432-1583 days. 91
TIME SHARE UNITS AND CAMPGROUND memberships. Distress sales, cheap! Chapel World wide selections. Call Vacation Network to day. 1-800-826-7844 NATL. 1-800-826-1847 in FL or 1-305-771-5285. 21-23
TWO-BEDROOM CONDO—at River View Motel, Bethel. Fully furnished, year-round management. AAA listed, tennis court. Call 820-5053 during week, 824-2353 weekends. 311
LITTLE BEAR POND, HARTFORD, Maine, 2 acres plus access to pond with or without existing camp. \$20,000. Call owners. 207-474-5286. 21p23p
RIVERFRONT, 3 acres. Paved road, year-round. Bethel. \$24,900. Also, 4 1/2 acres Milton Plantation. \$8,500. Also, 30 more parcels, 1,200 acres. Call Mike at B & B Realty, 674-3240 anytime. 21-24
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SUNDAY River 2-bedroom North Peak III. Sleeps 7. Fully furnished, storage, excellent condition. \$96,000. 1-808-223-1107. 21-23
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CONDOMINIUM located at Sunrise, Sunday River Ski Resort. Will finance qualified buyer. Priced to sell at \$62,500. Tel. 207-824-2117. 611
CHALET LOTS in three villages at Sunday River Ski Area, from \$24,900 to \$84,900. 711
CONDOMINIUM, located at Pleasant River, West Bethel. Will finance qualified buyer. Priced to sell at \$47,500. Tel. 207-824-2117. 611
SUNDAY RIVER ROAD—1+ acre lots at North Ridge. Beautiful views, south-facing, x-country ski from your door, near downhill skiing. Call 824-2115. 3211
BROOKSIDE—1-bedroom condo, top floor, spectacular five peaks view, must see to appreciate. Pool, sauna, direct trail access. Call Claude. 508-688-2024. 301
PURCHASING A HOME? Pre-purchase home inspections, radon testing, same day written report, prompt and weekend service. Call Western Maine Home Inspection. 743-6358. 3311

Sales

YARD SALE, Saturday, June 2, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. "Remington's, Kilborn Street, Bethel. Rain or shine, June 9.

Wanted

ROOMMATE to share large two-bedroom apartment in town Bethel. \$300/month includes all utilities, cable, w/c. Call 824-3630. 21-22
EVERETT HATSTAT, SON looking for stump-puller to cut or buy. Excavator work, road building, wood hauling, gravel to sell, backhoe work, dump trucks. Call anytime, 207-824-2519. 17-24p
WANTED TO BUY: Scrap metal. Home evenings and weekends. Raymond Chapman, 836-2585. 2811
WORK WANTED—houses or camps to paint, interior or exterior. Quality work at a reasonable price. For a free estimate, call Dingo Custom Painting. 745-6085. 19-22p
ITEMS FROM YOUR ATTIC! Collectibles and antiques 1940's and earlier taken on consignment. Excellent terms. Upon Playhouse Antiques, Broad Street, Bethel. Call Sally, 824-3170. 1911

Help Wanted

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED for NTL Institute, June-August. Must be available weekends. Call 836-2585. 2811
BE YOUR OWN BOSS. National manufacturer needs local person to service 100 percent natural juice route. Best one-man business ever! No selling. No overhead. Must have \$14,400 secured 100 percent by inventory. \$55,000 very possible first year. This could make you independent. First time offer. For details call 9 a.m.-9 p.m. 1-800-633-1740. 22-23
WE'RE LOOKING for a few good men and women. If you're a high school graduate seeking education, travel and a valuable job skill, call 1-800-MARINES. 22-23
JOB HUNTING? NEED HELP? SAD #44 Adult Education offers career counseling, CHOICES computer search, help with applications, resumes and interviews. Call 824-2780 for an appointment. 3411
DRIVERS: 1000-000 MILES tractor/trailer experience required. Earn \$550-\$700 per week. Excellent benefits. Late model equipment. Home most weekends. No need to relocate. Call Recruiting. 1-800-888-8258. Vantage Transport, Versailles, OH, EOS T-3.1. Ltd. 22-23

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BACHMAN POTATO CHIP franchise for sale. Fair, Norway area. Call after 5 p.m. week days; after 3 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays. 8-2359. 12-23p
YOUR OWN BOSS: Exclusive hot popcorn vending machine. The best investment on the market. Very profitable. Ask for information, day. Vending, U.S.A. Inc., Portland, Maine, 207-797-7848. 22-23

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Services

YARD WORK, mowing, light trucking, attics, ceilings cleaned, etc. Call 824-2455 after 4 p.m. 2211
DOZER FOR HIRE, John Deere 450 long track. Fast, efficient, neat. References. Tony Chism, 975-5511. 1711
GARDENERS: Dress-up your garden with a load of cow manure. 3 yr. old delivered to Bethel. Bryant Pond area, \$30. Ken Ruff, 665-2724. 16-25p
WIGGS, WTOS, WZPK AIR personality Chris Wells: Weddings, reunions, anniversaries, parties large or small. Continuous music, no breaks. Over 2,000 artists. Compact discs. Competitive. 369-0403. 14-23p
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CHIMNEY SWEEPING with free safety inspection. We stop leaks, repair mortar, stucco, masonry. White Mountain Masonry, Don Murphy, 836-2203, evenings. 611
FRENCH TUTOR—Fluent, studied 8 years; lived in France. Will help any level student. Call 824-3230. 511
CHILDREN'S DAY CARE, Main Street, Bethel. Full and part time openings. \$45/week of \$1.50 per hour. Open 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. 824-2928. 811
SURVEYING-SUBDIVISION—Bradford Bros., Inc., Box 623, Duffield, 04224. Telephone, 562-4564. 1111
BETHEL DAY CARE—fully licensed facility for children, ages 2-4/undergrad. Hourly, daily or weekly. Please call Martha at 824-2746. 3711
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Co-dependent Anon. Tuesdays, 4-5 p.m., Bethel Fire Station. 824-2413 or 824-2082. 811
TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), Wednesdays, 7 p.m., Locke Mills Union Church. 1111
Bethel Fire House Groups, ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS, Sunday, 8-7:30, Big Book; Tuesday, 7-8:30, Women's Discussion; Friday, 7:30-9, 12 Steps. 2411
AA meets every Thursday, 6:30 p.m., basement Congregational Church, Bethel. 2111
ALANON, Wednesday, 8 p.m., Telstar Regional High School. 2811
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For Rent

BETHEL—2-bedroom house, dead end street, very secluded, \$450 plus security. 388-2055. 22-25p
2-BEDROOM APARTMENT, fully furnished, including utilities, \$500/month. 895-5000. 22-23
N-TOWN, 2-bedroom apartment, garage, washer/dryer hookups, wood or electric heat, \$375. No pets. References and security deposit. 824-2455 after 4. 2211
2-BEDROOM, FULLY FURNISHED COTTAGE. Available immediately. Heat & Elec. included. \$125/week. Call 824-2277 between 6 a.m. and 6 p.m. 21-23
HOME AVAILABLE June 1, 3 miles from Bethel, 2 bedrooms, \$450 month. Call after 5:30 p.m. 824-2406. 21-22p
HOUSE FOR RENT, 2 br, private setting, wood heat, 3 miles from Sunday River, \$330/month plus electricity. Leave message, 846-4569. 21-22
MT. ABRAM CONDO, 1 bedroom, town beach deck. \$275/week. Call 824-2226. 21-23
SMALL CABIN—Bethel area, \$100 per week, access to pond, 207-665-2333 evenings. 20-23
STUDIO UNIT at Cascades, Sunday River Ski Resort, May thru November. \$300/month includes utilities. Call 824-3321. 20-22p
NEWBY—3-bedroom, 2-bath home near Sunday River, available immediately. Summer \$550/month. Call 878-3830 or 865-4168. 20-21p
ONE-BEDROOM Sunday River condominium. Fully furnished, full kitchen, cable TV, pool, jacuzzi, sauna, \$500 per month plus phone/elec. day. Vending, U.S.A. Inc., Portland, Maine, or 824-2588. 19-22
SECOND FLOOR APARTMENT available June 1 at Bethel. 1 year lease. \$525/month, plus utilities. Need work, will discuss work in exchange for some rent. Call 508-995-9765 or 914-649-7764 before 10 a.m. 18-21p
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FURNISHED 1-BEDROOM, 1-bath apartment in West Bethel, \$450/month plus utilities. No pets. Call 824-3321. 17-21p
2-BEDROOM FULLY FURNISHED South Ridge Townhouse. Outstanding place in quiet Sunday River location. Available until winter. Includes dishwasher, television. References and security deposit. 234-6484. 1611
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RETAIL OR OFFICE SPACE available, Main Street location. 824-2114 or 824-2688 evenings. 611
SUNDAY RIVER, FALL LINE 1-bedroom condo, completely furnished. Available May 1 to Dec. 1. \$330/month plus utilities and security deposit. Call 1-877-593-5638. 15-22p
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Preliminary Hearing

A Preliminary Hearing will be held at the Town Office Conference Room on Wednesday June 6, 1990 to consider an application for a sub-division from Waterford Properties. The proposed subdivision, Eagle's Nest, would be at Shagg Pond. Margaret Hand, Chrm. Woodstock Planning Board.

NOTICE

Please take notice that Sunday River Skiway Corporation of P.O. Box 450, Bethel, Maine 04217, is filing for a permit with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to make alterations under the Natural Resources Protection Act. The purpose is to stabilize a tributary bank of Barker Brook at Sunday River Ski Resort in Newry. The application will be filed for public inspection at the Department's Office in Augusta and at the municipal offices in Newry on May 30, 1990. Written comments from an interested person must be sent within 14 days of filing the application to receive consideration. A public hearing may or may not be held at the discretion of the Commissioner or Board of Environmental Protection.

TRANSPORTATION BID

The Upton School Committee is seeking bids to transport their school age children between Upton and S.A.D. 44. A copy of the present transportation contract may be obtained at the S.A.D. 44 Superintendent's Office at Telstar High School, Bethel, Maine. All bids must be in writing and mailed to: Upton Bus Bid c/o S.A.D. 44 RFD #1, Box 1220 Bethel, ME 04217. Bids close at 2:30 pm on June 8, 1990. Bids will be opened on June 24, 1990 at 7:00 pm at the Upton Municipal Office, Upton, Maine.

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Andover selectmen hire two new highway department employees

By BARBARA ADAMS

The Andover selectmen, meeting last week, hired two new employees for the highway department.

The new employees, chosen from four people interviewed, are Gary Vaughn and Wayne Wardwell.

The selectmen also re-appointed William Thorpe as plumbing inspector. The highway department is trimming the limbs on softwood around the dump to a height of 10 feet.

Since Article 31 at the town meeting was never noted on, next week the selectmen are to discuss whether it is necessary to have a special meeting to vote on the one item, which concerns whether to allot \$40,000 for an addition to the Town Office or renovation of the Town Hall to accommodate the town office.

Selectman Brian Mills said that since a vote was never completed, it is necessary to vote on this item at a special town meeting, while Selectmen Emerson and Maselli agree it can be carried over to a future town meeting.

During the revaluation of the town, assessor Sandy Hebert has completed 50

updates on property which had never been recorded on town books. The charge for each update is \$25, and the selectmen are concerned with the unexpected large amount.

A large number of essays have been received for the writing contest at the Andover School sponsored by the selectmen. Prizes will be awarded at the school's honors assembly on June 13.

The county commissioners are not able to supply law enforcement to Andover because no cruisers are available. The selectmen are considering other options. Also the commissioners will not reimburse the town for repairs to Sawyer Notch Road, although it runs into a county road.

Assessor Michael Austin will ask by the selectmen for an estimate on what it will cost to do personal property updates. Elm's Logging was contacted to remove logs and equipment from a town road near the cemetery and has complied with the selectmen's wishes.

The Fire Department has a 1996 military 6x6 truck for sale.



GOODBYE AND GOOD LUCK IN IOWA—Crescent Park School pupils gathered Wednesday morning to send off their school's Maine Champion-ship Odyssey of the Mind Team, and to wish them good luck at this weekend's International OM Competition at Iowa State University. Caitlin Bass, Katie Chapman, Missy Gaske, Martha Grover and Julie Ludlum make up the team. They will be accompanied to Iowa by nine parents, grandparents and coaches.

Options

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sideration, the \$80,000 increase is affirmed, and the remaining articles on tonight's warrant become moot.

If voters decide to reconsider the two articles, the people present will, in theory, be able to raise or lower the tax and total budget figures by any amount they choose. However, three scenarios are considered most likely.

If voters choose to go along with the school board's original recommendation (that is, eliminating the \$80,000 additional increase), then the taxation article would be approved in the amount of \$706,647 and the total budget in the amount of \$5,901,117.

(Note: The \$706,647 taxation figure represents only that portion of the local assessment that is unchanged by any state money. If the board's original recommendations are restored, the total local assessment will be \$2,989,248. The bulk of that money was authorized in articles which voters approved on May 3 in the recommended amounts. Those articles are not up for reconsideration tonight.)

A second option tonight hinges on state money which became available after the original budget was prepared. The district now expects to receive \$53,000 of additional state

revenue for the coming year.

If voters decide to go along with the board's original budget figures, the school directors would then have to decide what to do with the additional funds. The directors would be free to spend the money on new programs or other expenditures, or to put it toward reducing this year's local tax bill, or to put it into surplus against next year's tax bill, or to use it for any combination of these choices.

However, if voters tonight were to reduce the two articles by an additional \$53,000 (beyond the \$80,000 reduction), it would force the board to put the unanticipated state money toward reducing the local tax bill for the current year.

To do that, voters would approve the tax article in the amount of \$653,647, and the total budget article in the amount of \$5,848,117.

A third option would be to approve the two articles in the same amounts approved at the May 3 meeting (including the \$80,000), but if voters were so inclined, it is unlikely the initial vote to take up the reconsideration would pass.

Voters tonight are not limited to these three options. They may compromise among them, or they may choose to raise or lower the tax bill and budget total by some other amount.

—Michael Daniels

Contract

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sional performance, but is being persecuted because of personality conflicts with certain administrators.

Because Boschetti is still on a probationary contract, the decision on whether to renew her contract rests with the administration rather than the school board—a situation which has, in turn,

angered a number of school directors, who have asked that the board address the matter.

Neither Boschetti nor Craig were willing to comment publicly on the case, but Boschetti said she was considering the option of requesting that the board discussion be conducted in open, rather than executive (closed), session.

Capital/Day

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Brown asked the governor for an increase in a broad-based tax, such as the sales tax.

"Frankly," McKernan responded, "the state is not going to be spending a lot more on education than we are currently spending."

He said, "You have to wonder how long the taxpayers at any level are going to be able to keep up with" a 12-15 percent per year increase in education funding.

Bethel Town Manager Rodney Lynch told the governor that there are a number of illegal tire dumps in the area.

Noting the irony of the Department of Environmental Protection's aggressive stance in fining Bethel for operating its wastewater treatment plant in violation of its license, Lynch said, "I've asked the DEP to take action (on the tire dumps), but it's been very frustrating."

Greenwood Selectman Marie Bartlett laughed out loud. The governor laughed, too, and acknowledged that Bartlett had discussed the tire dumps with him earlier in the day.

He said he had tried to call DEP Commissioner Dean Marriott, to have him drive to Bethel for the 5 p.m. town meeting, but that Marriott had been out.

"I can assure you, as soon as I get back to Augusta, someone from the DEP will be up here," he said.

Jeff Parsons of Bethel said, looking about at the few people in attendance at the town meeting, said "I'm embarrassed on the part of Bethel and the surrounding towns. This is an impressive show of commissioners—more commissioners than residents..."

According to McKernan, the number of commissioners accompanying him to Bethel was greater than the number that have accompanied him to any of the other 37 towns previously designated Capital for a Day.

McKernan assured the residents who did attend the town meeting that "the important thing about town meetings is for people who do have something important to say to their government to have the opportunity."

Tuesday morning McKernan and Bither visited Telstar and McKernan and Conservation Commissioner Edwin Meadows and Labor Commissioner Charles Morrison visited Bethel Furniture Stock.

In the afternoon, McKernan and Bither visited the Outward Bound School and McKernan and Economic and Community Development Commissioner Lynn Wachtel visited The Bethel Inn, where McKernan dedicated the Inn's recreation center in memory of Lt. General James D. Alger, U.S. Army, who served as a trustee of Gould Academy for 25 years.

Other commissioners in Bethel Tuesday were: Public Safety Commissioner John Atwood; Professional and Financial Regulation Commissioner Susan Collins; Transportation Commissioner Dana Connors; Human Services Commissioner Savin Millett; Agriculture Commissioner Bernard Shaw; and Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Commissioner William Vail.

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Bethel Bike Day June 2

The Bethel Rotary Club will sponsor Bethel Bike Day on Saturday, June 2. Originally an annual bike-a-thon to raise funds for the Spanish-American Youth Exchange, the event was expanded last year to include a used bike sale.

This year the event will be expanded further with the addition of bicycle safety talks by Bethel Police Chief Brian Stowell, mechanical inspections and repair instructions by John Wallace of Wallace's Wheels, of Rumford, a tiny bike-trike-big wheels obstacle course designed by Mike Cooper, and bicycle safety video tapes provided by Jonathan Goldberg and the Outward Bound bike staff.

The bike-a-thon will run from 9 a.m. to noon and this year riders will have their choice of the traditional one-mile "in town" loop or the killer/adventure 14 mile loop out Route 6, around Songo Pond and back in to town via Route 55.

Anyone interested in participating should pick up pledge forms from Spanish Exchange steering committee members Linda Saunders or Melinda Remington.

Anyone wishing to sell should bring their bikes to the Common by 8:30 a.m. A 15 percent commission will be charged on sales.

The obstacle course will be run at 10 a.m. and is open to any young riders who are not up to the demands of the "a-thon".

Anyone with a bike or an interest in bikes is encouraged to attend this fun celebration of human powered transport. For more information call event coordinator Steve Wight, 824-2410.

Bethel Park

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Town Manager Rodney Lynch said he had been assured the loan could not be pre-paid or refinanced and that the housing would remain affordable housing for at least the life of the loan.

Several residents at the meeting questioned possible drainage problems at the development site.

According to the minutes of the meeting, the site will have a grass basin detention pond to assure proper drainage.

Sally Rollinson, an abutter of the project, expressed concern about roof and parking lot runoff. Morris said the land would be contoured to direct the flow of water.

Ginger Kelly was concerned about how much of the runoff would flow into Sanding Brook. Morris said more water would be going into sanding brook but that it would be going into the brook at a slower rate.

In other business at the planning board meeting, the board:

- Approved a site plan for Ginger Kelly, to open Maine Street Gallery at Maine Street Place.

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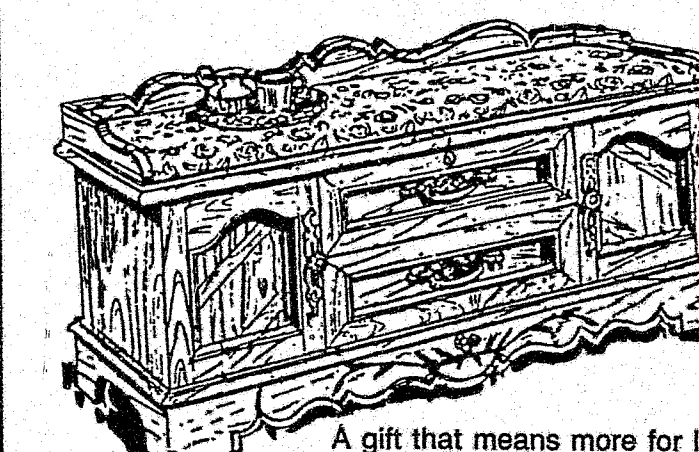
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Surprise

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unaware that the higher figures were being used.

The warrant itself was a cut-and-paste, partially handwritten sheet that the directors signed routinely at the end of their last regular meeting.

Sup. Devaine Craig said the wording of the warrant, and the numbers to be used, had been repeatedly explained to the directors.

In the confusion of the meeting, however, the message was apparently missed by a number of directors. "I didn't realize it," said Bethel Director Merton Brown. "I thought the spaces were blank."

Director Stan Howe, also of Bethel, was equally surprised. "That shouldn't have been in there. I certainly wouldn't have signed it if it meant I was endorsing (the higher figures). They're trying to pull a fast one, I think."

The message did get through to some directors, if in a garbled fashion.

Craig said later that higher figures had been chosen in order "to be on the safe side." But Nancy Devine of Greenwood said she had understood that the higher figures "had to be used."

The printed recommendations add another element of confusion to an already confusing situation, and some directors worried that voters might not turn out for the reconsideration meeting if they thought the board now supported the higher figures.

Jeri Greenwell of Bethel was hospitalized the night of the board meeting, but the printed warrant also had a surprise for her. Although she hadn't been present that evening to sign the warrant, her name appeared along with her fellow directors on the final printed version. (An oversight, Craig explained later.)

But like many of the directors who had signed the warrant, Greenwell was startled by the recommendations. Asked if she wanted voters to think she personally supported the higher figures, she replied: "Are you crazy?"

Budget

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the first meeting.

Opponents of the \$80,000 increase, including selectmen Doonen and Bartlett, counter that by staying away from the first meeting voters, in effect, signified their willingness to go along with the tax hikes recommended by the directors.

But if had voters realized that their taxes could be raised still further at the budget meeting, the selectmen said, they would certainly turned out in greater numbers.

The success of the petition drive, its organizers argue, demonstrates the broad-based opposition to the additional tax hike, as well as to the manner in which it was brought about.

A number of school board members were also angered by the increase, saying that it was an insult to the many hours of hard work the board spent attempting to balance the district's needs

and resources.

In fact, over the course of this year's budget workshops, the board added back into the budget programs that were not in the administration's original budget draft, including a full-time FOCUS (elementary creative and talented) teacher and Telstar summer school.

There is one point, however, on which supporters, opponents and board members all agree—that the fate of the budget will be finally determined by whoever turns out for tonight's meeting.

The meeting will be held in the Telstar auditorium and will begin at 7:30. Voters are asked to come early, so that they will have time to be registered by the district's town clerks.

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